OPPOSITION TO MEASURE

CAMPBELL RIVER BILL IS THROWN OUT

Private Bills Committee Heard In Some Places Bank Has All the Parties This Morning

The Campbell River Power' Company's bill, in which a great deal of interest is being taken, was up before

affected by it.

H. R. Robertson appeared for the company in opposition to it appeared Charles Wilson, K. C., for the North Paclife Lumber Company; J. H. Lawson, ir., for John Goodfellow and as sociates, and R. T. Elliett, K. C., for the British America Timber Company. It is understood that in appeared to the form the wash of the waves these the International Company.

validated the incorporation of the company, and in part gave it power to do business as a gas company. While there was no question of the validity of the company's incorporation it was found it would stand better with the investing public if incorporated by statute. The water license had been refused for the time being, owing to the scale of fees not being fixed, but in a letter of fees not being fixed. Dut in a letter of fees not being fixed. Commissioner Drewry it was stated that a record for 2,700 cubic feet per second would be Drewry it was stated-that a record for 2,700 cubic feet per second would be granted when the scale of fees was fixed, subject to a reservation of 32 cubic feet for domestic purposes. This remedy? The remedy has been posited out a hundred times in the posite out a hundred out a hundred times in the positic out a

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TAFT PLEASES

PRESIDENT'S AGGRESSIVE SPEECH PRAISED

"Insurgents," However, Object to His Defence of Payne-Aldrich Tariff

(Times Leased Wire.) Washington, D. C., Feb. 14, Republican congressman, taking President Taft's Lincoln day speech at New York as their keynote, to-day prepared.

their first shot for the coming cam-

paign next autumn.

Encouraged by the general opinion that the president's speech was the most powerful one he ever delivered, the "regulars" decided to take advantage of Taft's aggressiveness by having the speech made available for "tranking" through the mails by making a part of the congressional record.

Comment on the speech to-day in Republican ranks was generally fasign next autumn. Republican ranks was generally fa-vorable. The insurgents, however, qualified their approxal and most of them objected to Taft's defence of the Payne-Airdich tariff law.

The most striking feature of the speech is generally recognized as set forth by one middle western senator

who said:
"Heretofore in his desire to please,
President Taft has appeared to temporize. He spoke courageously on Saturday night. The people like aggres'sive and well defined leadership."

Representative Hayes of California, one of the leaders of the insurgents in the House, said that he liked the speech for its lack of dodging, but would not discuss its probable effect

The opinion generally expressed here is that the speech was one of the most to that the speech was one of the week de-powerful that President Taff ever de-livered, and that it will be an immense help to the Republicans in the com-ing congressional campaign.

Effect on Market

New York, Feb. 14.-Disappointment in high financial circles over the speech cellvered by President Taff on Saturday night caused heavy selling at the opening of the stock exchange to-day.

Nearly all the stocks on the list fell off, many dropping one to three points.

As soon as the first rush was over, however, there was a brisk recovery, and signs of strength were evident all all of the line. along the line.

DALLAS ROAD FALLING AWAY

RECENT GALES HAVE DONE GREAT DAMAGE

Caved in at Line of Roadway

A good deal has been written about the condition of Dallas road in the effort to stir the city council to take

sociates, and R. T. Elliett, K. C., for the British America Timber Company. It is understood that in addition to these the International Lumber Company is opposed, but it was not represented to-day. Among those present were Michael King, James Forman, F. O. Williams, G. H. Burns, John Goodfellow, John Trotter, W. Wallace Grime and W. H. Leaky, Vancouver.

The company is already incorporated under the Company's Clauses Act, and is seeking to have an act passed confirming that incorporation as well as any water rights it may be granted by the government. about a third of the distance is afford-ing no protection whatever. In the first place it is 'insufficiently' high and the result is that the waves, when the wind blows with any violence, shaply wash over the top of it and the attack the bank of earth behind. Old residents of the city are better qualified to judge of the temperature, amount of demairs the government.

Mr. Robertson explained that the Campbell 3 iver Power Company had been incorporated under the Company's Act last April. A water record had been refused in December and was immediately re-staked. The bill in part validated the incorporation of the company, and in part gave it power to do with any violence, simply wash over the top of it and the attack the bank of earth behind. Old residents of the city are better qualified to judge of the tremendous amount of damage being done by the sea at this point than a majority of the people now living in Victoria, and the former say that twenty years ago it was possible

> great success. This is what is known as the groyne system. This differs from the retaining wall system in that it the retaining wall system in that it provides for the construction of barriers running out into the sea at right angles to the shore. As to whether the thing is a success is no longer debateable, as for many years it has given the greatest of satisfaction in England, and resulted in the reclamation of many hundreds of acres of the most valuable land. So well is that fact known by many people in Victoria valuable land. So well is that fact known by many people in Victoria who formerly resided in England that some of them took the trouble to write for photographs showing the system in use at various points along the coast of England. But it was no use. The city council would have none of it, preferring to experiment just as if they had never heard of England or that the problem had been solved many, many years ago.

years ago, the meantime Dallas road, which in the meantime bands road, which might be made one of the most mag-nificent marine promenades in the whole world, continues to crumble into

POLICE AND SOLDIERS

Populace Joins in Rioting and a Hundred Are Killed or Wounded

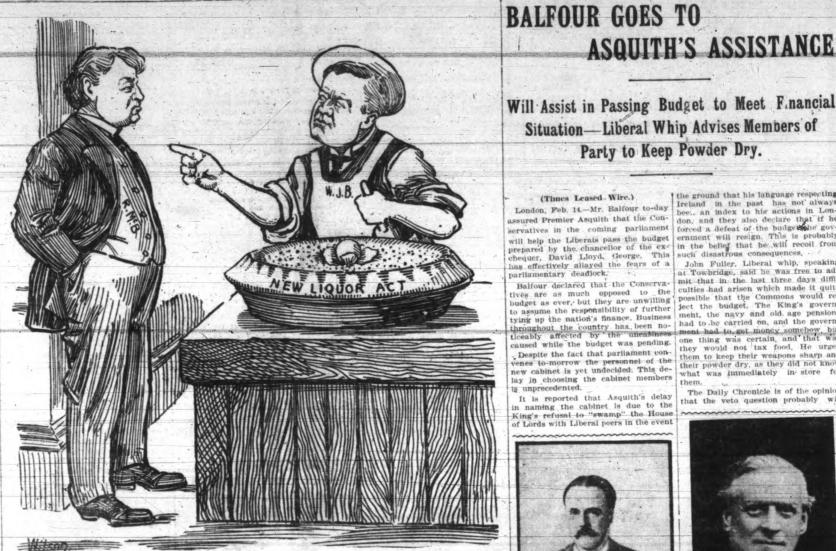
(Times Leased Wire.)

Canton, China, Feb. 14.—Foliowing a riot in which it is estimated 100 mer were killed or wounded by a Chinese naval force which was landed to quel havait force within the city is closed to-day to force area. It will be opened in two days, when it is expected that the officials will be in control of the situation.

Many Chinese fearing an outbreak are Many Chinese tearing an output defined to Hongkong.

The riot had its origin in a friction between the foreign drill Schnese soldiers and the city police, which finally culminated in a series of street fights yesterday in which the populace to the control of th

LANDS PASSENGERS.



A NEW DISH.

THE MANAGER-"1 don't know, Billy; those temperance people kick about that kind of pastry." THE CHEF-"Oh, but I never before put as much 'shortening' in the crust.

FARALLAN'S CREW REACHES SEATTLE

NINETEEN MEN CAME SOUTH ON VICTORIA

Passengers Remain in North and Will Proceed to Their Destination

(Times Leased Wire.)

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 14.—Bringing 19 urvivors of the ill-fated steamer rarallon, which was wrecked near Farallon, which iamua bay, Alaska, January 5th, the Valdez, Alaska.

All the survivors brought down by the Victoria were members of the Farlon's crew, the passengers having allon's crew, the passengers naving decided to wait at Valdez and take the next westbound steamer for the original destinations. Many brought down by the Victoria show the effects of their month's camp on the stormbound coast. Several of them are still suffering from frost bite. ing from frost bite.

"Chief Officer Smith, the engineer, one fireman and two sailors remained by the Farallon wreck," said Captain O'Brien to-day, "We were ashore just 39 days and suffered some from cold, veral of the crowd having had their ears and hands frost bitten while procuring wood for fire. This was our greatest inconvenience, having to pack our fuel some distance. We had plenty to eat and could have held on indefinitely.

"The Farallon went on the reef in a "The Faralion went on the reer in a blinding snowstorm, during which we were unable to judge the correct distance from shore. The wind had been blowing flercely until we entered the bay, which protected us some from its force. The ressel was proceeding slowly when she struck.

We had no great difficulty getting

We had no great difficulty getting ashore. The Faration soon fell over on ashore. The Faration soon fell over on her starboard end, and remained in that position for several days. Meanwhile she began to take on a great coat of ice, and this in time appeared to straightened her up. When I last saw her she presented the appearance of being imbedded in a great iceberg, with her nose sticking out. The vessel will prove a total loss."

HOME FOR AGED PAINTERS.

Proposal Made by J. P. Morgan Is Being Considered by Fine Arts Federation.

Considered by Fine Arts Federation.

New York, Feb. 34—J. P. Morgan, the patron saint of American artists and one of the keenest students of the old masters, with 19 first class passengers, 148 second and 531 steerage.

WAGES INCREASED.

Cincinnati, Feb. 14—There will be no strike of telegraphers and station agents of the Queen and Crescent route, wage agreements having been signed here Saturdey. The men receive an increase in wages of 19 per cent. at once.

TROUBLE IN THE BRITISH STEAMER ALBERTA CABINET

Hon. W. H. Cushing, Minister of Public Works, May Resign

(Special to the Times.)

aister of public works, will resign this week. He is dissatisfied at the lo this week. He is dispatished at the location of all the public institutions in the north, including the university and agricultural college, and over the terms in the Alberta and great waterways railway, agreement with the government. Woolf, Boyle, McKenzie and Riley are followers of Cushing

SEVEN SCALDED WHEN BOILER TUBE BREAKS

Explosion on U.S. Torpedo Boat Destroyer at San Diego

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 14.—As the result of a boiler explosion on board the torpedo boat destroyer Hopkins at 8.15 this morning, seren men were seriously scalded and taken to the Agnew sanatorium to-day.

The injured are I. F. Hent color passengers is unknown, but not much

orium to-day.

The injured are: J. F. Hunt, chief class fireman; W. A. Neave, first-class fireman; R. E. Taylor, first-class fire-man; L. B. Carletillo, second-class fire-man; A. E. Clary, water tender; T. J. Brown, coal passer.

The accident occurred at wharf No. the little fighting craft was

The Hopkins was getting up steam preparatory to leaving the port with the remaining vessels of the fleet for a tar-get practice cruise in northern waters. In the fire room of the Hopkins were the regular crew. The steam guage of the boiler registered 200 pounds pressure. shortly before the accident, and this is ads under the capacity.

without warning to the men imprisoned in the boiler room, a water tube suddenly gave way, letting out quantities of the deadly steam. Seven of the men were caught in the room and did not escape until they were badly burned.

The doctors were hastily su The doctors were hastily summoned and the ambulance called to bring the injured sailors to the Agnew sanatorium in this city, where a corps of octors and nurses dressed the burns and idd all that was possible to ease the terrible suffering.

All were burned severely on the head and arms, and the bandages completely covered their faces.

Taylor was the most seriously injured. He was reported as being in a very serious condition at abon and may not live. The other men are expected to recover.

RUNS ON REEF

FIFTY-ONE PERSONS LOSE THEIR LIVES

Liner Rescues 205 But Forced Edmonton, Alta., Feb. 14.—There is Liner rescues 200 but Force trouble in the Alberta cabinet and probability the Hon. W. H. Cushing. Vessel

(Times Leased Wire.)

Valparaiso, Chile, Feb. 14.-The Chilan cruiser Ministro Zenteno is to-day steaming to the rescue of the 88 perons left on board the wrecked Pacific Navigation Company's steamer Lima which went on a reef in Huamblin passage in the Straits of Magellan Saturday, when the chief pilot and fifty passengers were drowned,

In addition to the Zenteno, five steamers belonging to the steamship company have been ordered, to the scene of the wreck to render assistance steamer Hatumet, which rescued 205 of was forced to steam away because of

passengers, is unanowa, but a hope is held out that they are alive, as it is not believed possible that the w as forced to steam away because of terrific pounding of the waves,

Nothing will be known of their, fate until the Zeneteno arrives at the

THE HERMANN TRIAL.

Jury in Case of Ex-Congressman Unable to Agree.

in the creation of the Bine Mountain forest reserve, while Hermann was to drawing the attention of the men of commissioner of the general lands office, is still undecided. The jury, which stood eleven for conviction and one for acquittal, was discharged by Judge Wolverton at 9:40 o'clock this morning, after wresting with the evidence in the case for nearly 48 hours. This action was taken following the announcement by the foreman that an agreement was out of the question.

After the discharge of the jury the

CTimes Leased Wire.) London, Peb. 14.—Mr. Balfour to-day assured Premier Asquith that the Conservatives in the coming parliament will help the Liberais pass the budget prepared by the chancellor of the exchequer, David Lloyd, George. This has effectively allayed the fears of a parliamentary deadlock. Balfour declared that the Conservatives are as much opposed to the budget as ever, but they are unwilling to assume the responsibility of further tying up the nation's finance. Business throughout the country has been noticeably affected by the uneasmess caused while the budget was pending.

ASQUITH'S ASSISTANCE

Situation—Liberal Whip Advises Members of

Party to Keep Powder Dry.

ject the budget. The king's govern-ment, the navy and old age pensions had to be carried on, and the govern-ment had to get money somehow but one thing was certain, and that was they would not tax food. He urged them to keep their weapons sharp and their powder dry, as they did not know what was immediately in store for what was immediately

Despite the fact that parliament convenes to morrow the personnel of the new cabinet is yet undecided. This delay in choosing the cabinet members is unprecedented. The Daily Chronicle is of the opinion that the veto question probably will It is reported that Asquith's delay



caused while the budget was pending.

the cabinet is due to the

al to "swamp" the House

A. J. BALFOUR

the Lords continue to oppose Liberal

If this report is well founded, it said that the early resignation of the cabinet may make another general election a matter of says instead of

MINERS INJURED.

Cage Slips When Being Lowered Into Colliery in Cape Breton.

(Special to the Times.) Glace Bay, C. B., Feb. 14.-Cage No. 2, with 18 men in, slipped in the colto those left behind by the British liery here this morning when nearing the bottom. The engineer applied the the passengers and crew, and which brakes, but the cage bumped on the was forced to steam away because of bottom. Two men had legs broken and six were slightly injured. The others escaped unharmed.

CANADIAN ANNUITIES

Mrs. Willoughby Cummings is Now Secretary of Wo-

man's Department (Special to the Times.)

Cummings, former secretary of the International Council of Women, has Fortland, Ore., Feb. 14.—The guilt or innocense of ex-Congressman Binger Hermann, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government of public lands in the creation of the Bine Mountain forest reserve, while Hermann was to drawing the attention of the government of

ment was out of the question.

After the discharge of the Berrich
side of the wast trial was allowed to
stand open, subject to the agreement
of the counsel on both sides.

FORMER BANKER DEAD,

(Special to the Times.)

Toronto, Feb. 14.—John Biacklock,
manager of the Reliance Loun and
Savings Company, until the end of last
Year, is dead at the age of 77 years.

Tokic, Feb. 14.—The Japanese buginess
men whe composed the honorary Grades
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PREMIER ASQUITH takes first place as being more in accord with the temper of the majority of the party.

The Daily Mail and Daily News agree Must Be Ready For Action.

(Special to the Times.)

London, Feb. 14.—Radicals are hopeful that John 2edmond did not mean business at Dublin on Thursday, on that Mr. Balfour is unable to take office and the latter looks with satisfaction at the situation and says that future historians will remark upon the quiet coolness of the master tactician who serenely watched the Tories manoeuter themselves to an impasse. that Mr. Balfour is unable to take office

RIGHT TO TITLE DENIED BY COURT

SACKVILLE PEERAGE CASE DISPOSED OF

Petitioner Alleged His Father Married a Spanish Dancer

(Times Leased Wire.)

London, Feb. 14.—After a checkered career in the courts, the petition of Ernest Henry Sackville West for the title and estate of Lord Sackville was denied to-day by Justice Bigham. The petitioner sought by witnesses and record to prove himself the son of Lord Sackville by a Spanish dancing girl, who he alleged was married to Lord Sackville in Paris and who was

his mother. In weighing the evidence, the court ruled that even if Lord Sackville had been married to the dancer, the mar-riage was illegal because she already had a husband living.

Anticipating an adverse decision the plaintiff withdrew his petition, but was commanded by the court to re-submit it. West pleaded for a delay of proceedings on the ground that he desired to ii. West pleaded for a delay of proceedings on the ground that he desired to bring further evidence from Spain, but his attorneys who previously had withdrawn from the case told the court, in candor that they could not vouch for the materiality of the evidence. The action of Justice Bigham to-day disposes of the case finally as far as present proceedings are concerned.

MANUFACTURER DEAD.

(Special to the Times.)

Hamilton, Feb. 14.—Eli Van Allen, chairman of the Burlington Beach Commission died suddenly in bed this morning. He was a prominent local Nannifacturer for years, but sold out his business several years ago.

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In Chapters this morning Mr. Justice of the application to substitute service of writ to sell land, in three-story brick building on Johnson street, to cost \$13,000, and to N. Griner for additions to a house on the registrar's office and by personal

the registrar's office and by personal

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In the County court this morning large cargo. The following passent out to search for the tag Nina. Judge Lampman heard evidence if gers have secured berths on her: Judge they had found no reported to-day that they had found no reported to day that they

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NAVAL COLLEGE TO BE LOCATED AT HALIFAX

Estimates for Construction and Upkeep of Docks and Barracks

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Feb. 14. The government has decided to locate Canada's naval college at Halirax. The estimates are: Building, \$150,000; furnishing and workshops, \$50,000; battery, \$20,000; arming of battery, \$110,000; officers quarters, \$7,000; men's quarters, \$20.000; dockyard's upkeep for four years, \$1,130,000; naval college upkeep for four years, \$275,000; barracks' upkeep, \$275,000. (Special to the Times.)

ITO'S ASSASSIN SENTENCED TO DEATH

Precautions Taken to Prevent Demonstration by Koreans in Seoul

(Times Leased Wire.)

Tokio, Feb. 14.—It was announced by he government here to-day that Inian Angan, who assassinated Prince Ito at Harbin last fall, has been convicted and sentenced to death. Angan was a member of the Korean Liberal party and his assistants in Korea have ecretly honored him as a martyr. special precautions have been ordered prevent a demonstration in Secul.

RUN DOWN BY STEAMER.

Launch Rammed at Tacoma-One of the Occupants Missing.

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 14.—The steamer Celtic, outward bound at 11.45 last night, rammed the launch Arrow. which was cruising in the bay with a pleasure party of six young folks, and as a result Arthur N. Furth, a bridge

as a result Arthur N. Furth, a bridge contractor, aged 24, is missing and is supposed to have been drowned.
Claude Harris, Clayton Harris, Misses Loreta Brown, Ollic Keller and Gertrude Walker, the other members of the pelasure party, were all thrown into the water, but were rescued by the Celtic crew. The launch was worth 32,500. Air tight compartments sayed it from sinking, although it was cut nearly in two when the steamer hit it. A searching party patrolled the bay throughout the night for Furth's body, but without success.

BAND CONCERT.

Audience at Victoria Theatre Pleased With Programme Given Last Night.

Despite the inclement weather last night the Victoria theatre was crowded to its fullest capacity and the doors had to be closed and admittance refused to hundreds of eager and very much disappointed citizens by 8 o'clock. The concerts of the Fifth Regiment have become so popular that a theatre not twice the capacity of the present one could easily be filled. The programme arranged by Bandmaster liogers was fully up to the high standard of excellence of the previous ones, and, hudging by the hearty appliant and numerous encores, was very enjoyable to all who were fortunate enough to be present.

to all who were fortunate enough to be present.

The assisting artists were all enjoyable too. Miss Hurst was heard in the solo. "Dream of Paradise": Mr. Shandley rendered in splendid style the solo. "The Tollers," and received a very hearty encore; Whilst Miss Cocker's beautiful contraito voice scored a complete triumph over her audience in the solo. "Hear Me When I Call." for which spe received a triple encore. The vast audience was deeply stirred by the wonderful singing of Miss Cocker, and the hope was expendence. riple encore. The sample strength of the wonderful singular strength of the wonderful

again in the near future.

The band selections were all well received, the overture, Northern Light;
the Bridal Chorus From Lehengrin. the Bridal Chorus From Lehengrin, and the Romance of the Rose, all receiving well merited encores. The most popular selection was the Tear-ing of the Green, in which every instrument in the band has a chance to shine, but the bright particular, star was Mr. Culross on the bass, who convulsed his hudience with laughter by the wenderful tones he produced upon the instrument.

Allogsther, the acceptance of the Rose, all results for damages for personal injuries, Frank Moore is serving a 25 hours sentence in the county fail to day.

While the jury was enjoying a recess in the corridor this morning Moore greeted Juror A. Shearer, of Renton. The attorney for the defendant saw him and told Judge Gay. The judge

CHARMER HELD SOLELY TO BLAME

THE ADMIRALTY COURT

C. P. R. Loses in Action Against Owners of the Tug Bermuda

That the steamer Charmer was solely to blame for the collision with the tug Bermuda in the narrows near Vancouver some months ago was the decisio handed down by Mr. Justice Martin in the Admiralty court this morning, in a brief memorandum, leaving to a later date the setting forth at length of his reasons for the judgment. This memo reads as follows:

reads as follows:

"In this action I have come to the conclusion, after taking the advice of the assessors, which ceincides with my own view, that the Charmer must be held solely to blame for this collision and its consequences. Judgment will therefore be entered against her, with, if necessary, a reference to the registrar, assisted by merchants, to assess the damage caused by her to the Bermuda, as set up in the counter claim. Reason for judgment will be handed down after my return from Vancouver."

The plaintiff in the action was the C. P. R. as owners of the well known steamer Charmer. The accident happened to the steamer at the narrows while she was en route to Victoria from Vancouver. The tug Bermuda, with scow in tow, was approaching the Charmer, and some confusion as to signals ensued, with the result that a coltusion occurred between the steamer and the scow, the former having a hole stove in her bow.

WRECK OF THE

. STEAMER LIMA

It is Feared 88 Persons, Left on Stranded Vessel, Have Perished

(Times Leased Wire.)

Ancud, Chile, Feb. 14.-According to the captain of the steamer Hatumet which rescued 205 of the passengers and crew of the steamer Lima, wrecked near the Straits of Magellan,

\$8 persons probably have jost their lives in the disaster. The Hatumet arrived here to-day with the survivors of the wreck. Her captain declared that 88 persons were captain decared that so persons was abourd the doemed ship when he was forced to discontinue his rescue work because of the heavy seas. She went aground late Saturday on the Chilean coast and was rapidly pounding to

TWO ASPHYXIATED IN BED IN MONTREAL

(Special to the Times.) (Special to the Times.)

Montreal, Feb. 14.—Yvonne Chasse,
17 years old, of Sorel, and Jeanne Benands, who roomed at 882 Amhersi
street, were found dead in bed this
moraing. During the night the pipes
leading to the gas meter broke letting
out air in volume of gas that asphyxiated the young women.

upon the instrument.

Altogether the concert was very enjoyable indeed.

him and told Judge Gay. The
discharged the jury, reset the
and punished Moore.

The regular monthly meeting of the St. Andrew's Society wift be head this eyening at 8 o'clock in the Sir wifthand Wallace, hall Broad street All members are requested to attend as husiness of importance is to be discretized Arrangements will be made for the bolding of the monthly dance and concert to be held to-morrow night in the A. O. U. W. hall.

Heavy weather was experienced by the steamer Princess Beatrice which urrived from the Queen Charlotte Islands yesterday morning. She will leave again to-night and will take a large care. The following passer-

LAST OF ELECTIONS IN OLD COUNTRY

Orkney and Shetland Again Returns Liberal-The Final Standing of Parties

(Special to the Times.) London, Feb. 14.—With the election on Saturday of Mr. Wason, Liberal for Orkney and Shetiand, over Hemsiey, Unionist, by a vote of 4,117 to 994, the membership of the new parliament is

The standing of the parties is:
 Liberals
 274

 Unionists
 273

 Nationalists
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 Laborites
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REMANDED FOR WEEK.

(Special to the Times.)

Toronto, Feb. 14.—Rhoda Higgin nd Florence Nickerson, agent fo and Florence Nickerson, agent for Tolman & Co., in Toronto, appeared in the police court this morning on charges of charging too high a rate of interest on loans. They were remanded or a week without pleading.

Merrill Luther and Norman Smith Merrill Luther and Norman Smith appeared on similar charges for a broker's agency. Both parties claim they made no loans. In the Tolman case, counsel for the defence says a different system is employed here to the one in Montreal and Winnipes.

TRADE RELATIONS

WITH WEST INDIES

Improved Steamer Communi cation With the Dominion is Advocated

(Special to the Times.) Kingston, Jamaica, Feb. 14.—Regard-

ing reciprocal trade relations between Canada and the Barbadoes, the Agricultural Reporter says improved steamship communication is only the thing affording any good ground for hope, The Demarara Chronicle commenting on the proclamation of the United States conceding Great Britain the advantage. of the minimum tariff, says the commercial hostilities would be more harmful to the United States trade than to the trade of the Dominion and a referential agreement between the West Indies and the Dominion would West Indies and the Dominion would not be provocative of reprisals at Wasnington. The Chronicle, however, says that when the details are con-sidered the difficulties in the way of a scheme of preference between the two groups of colonies are too formidable for a solution to be reached. Trinidad cocoa planters are opposed to Canadian for a solution to be reached. Trinidad cocoa planters are opposed to Canadian reciprocity because the Dominion can consume only a small fraction of cocoa produced in the West Indies. Other interests in Trinidad are equally hostile to the idea of reciprocity.

CANADIAN NORTHERN.

General Manager McLeod Will Direct Construction Work in British Columbia.

Winnipeg, Feb. 14.-It is learned Winnipeg, Feb. 71.—It is learned on-excellent, authority that General Man-ager McLeod, of the Canadian North-ern railroad, is likely to transfer his headquarters to Vancouver in the near future as it is said he will personally direct construction operations of his company in the coast prevince during the next four years.

FOR CANADIAN FORCES.

Proposal to Assist Territorials to Emi-grate From Old Country.

(Special to the Times.) London, Feb. 14.—Major A. G. Broderick has initiated a scheme of helping territorials at Goldalming to emigrate to Canada, where they will be transferred to the Canadian forces.

ATLANTIC MAIL CONTRACT.

(Special to the Elmes.) Ottawa, Feb. 14.—The government has decided not to give the Dominion line a portion of the Atlantic mail contract as the present contract with the Allan line, which runs till 1912, will be sufficient.

sufficient. GUNBOAT FOR NICARAGUA.

New Orleans, Feb. 14.-The officers of New Orleans, Feb. 1. The Advance the United States gunboat Paduac received orders to sail to-day for Nicaragua, It is supposed the ship is bing sent to protect American interest at the Nicaraguan ports.

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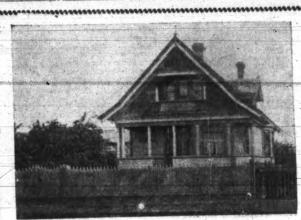
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ANTI-TRUST LAW WILL BE ENFORCED

PRESIDENT TAFT **MAKES POSITION CLEAR**

Denies Administration Has Run Amuck-Defends the Tariff

New York, Feb. 14.-"If the enforce present method of carrying on iness, then it does not speak well the present methods of conducting

hundreds of prominent Republicans gathered Saturday night at the annual Lincoin day dinner of the Republican club of this city, held at the Waldorf-Astoria. Governor Hughes shared the honors of the evening with the president. Mr. Taft adhered to his purpose of discussing platform pledges and how they should be kept. It was at the conclusion of a detailed argument as to how the Republican party is redeeming its pledges and he came to a discussion of the anti-trust law and Wall street, on which his utterances id been awaited with the greatest in dministration would not foolishly run

cultivate and strengthen in business, but that it must the law goes without saying." President Tait did not nesitate to scuss the attacks that have been ade on the administration and the arty, or the danger to future success insurgent movement and other sions. Republicans who feared at the polls in November, he ver should take courage

memy was."

Mr. Taft again came to the defence
of the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill. He
ild not hesitate, he said, to repeat that
t substantially compiled with the
party pledge for tariff revision, and

I their strongly in the right diver-n toward lower tariffs."
The president brought statistics into argument to demonstrate that dur-ity the first six months of the new riff law there has been shown a 12 reent, reduction in the percentage d valorem duties that have on imports and a 12 per-cent. paid on imports and a 12 per cent, in-crease in the percentage of imports ad-mitted free. Time and a wider knowl-edge, he thought, would serve to jus-tify the biff. Reviewing the party piatform, the president spoke of postal savings banks, amendments to the in-ter-state commerce law, the anti-in-junction plank, statehood for Arizona fexico, and the conservation resources, bills to carry all promises into effect were

re-nominated and re-elected as president of the United States. In-closing his address Governor Hughes said: "The American people are fair enough to recognize a great man fill-ing a great position, and doing his duty with absolute fidelity, and for that reason, President Tatt will be reated and re-elected."

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Taft Determined to Probe Albany Case Regardless of Consequences

New York, Feb. 14.—President Taft ame to New York Saturday, sat for one hour and a half in conference with Republican state leaders, said little, out heard much concerning the latest scandal, the Alids-Conger bribery case at Albany, and departing confided to intimates that "the situation looks very bad."

very bad."

The conference was held at the New York home of Lloyd C. Griscom, the new president of the New York Republican county committee. Besides the president and Mr. Griscom, there were present Governor Husthes, Senator Chauncy M. Depew, Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the Republican control of the province of the president and the province of the province o state committee; James W. Dadsworth, jr., speaker of the state as-sembly, and Otto Bannard. Discussion

work for churches.

London, Feb. 14.—At a meeting in aid of church work in Algoma, the speakers, including the Bishop of Gloucester, Canou Welch and Rev. W. J. Boyd emphasized the need for help in Algoma as well as the northwest and urged the importance of help from England if a new nation which is being formed is not to grow up alien from the church and religion.

DIES SUDDENLY.

Montreal, Feb. 14.—Daniel Hatton, one of the best known fish merchants in the city died sudenly Saturday of heart failure. He was 65 years old.

worth, ir. speaker of the state assembly, and Otto Bannard. Discussion centered aimost solely in the Alids-Conger case, involving the two leading proposals, whether the party should investigate to the limit, or, if possible, smother it, The consensus of opinion appeared to be on adjournment, probe to the bottom, regardless of results.

Apparently touching on this determination to investigate, although not referring specifically to the Alids-Conger case, President Tatt, speaking before the Republican club at the Waldorf-Astoria, said: "It is well understood that with the Republican party in its present condition, with its various divisions subjected to the cross, fire of its own newspapers and its own factions, any halt or failure on the part of those in aithority to punish and condemn corruntion or corrupt methods will be properly visited upon

and condemn corruption or corrupt methods will be froperly visited upon the party itself, however many good men'it'contains."

There has been a demand for the resignation of State Chairman Woodruff, Mr. Woodruff when asked about hits, said: "We talked about nothing the said." this, said: We talked about norming but the Alids-Conger case. No call was made upon me to resign, and you may quote me as saying so. I will not say that I shall conduct the next campaign, but I shall be chairman until the next state convention."

MISTAKEN FOR BURGLAR,

Groveton, Texas, Peb. 14. Fighting the dark with a man he thought to a burglar, S. T. Lockhard discovered had stabbed to death Carleton he had stabbed to death Carleton Swinner, his best friend. Swinner, a prominent man, in a temporary fit of theanity, broke away from his attenda-ents and entered Lockhard's home.

DIES FROM INJURIES.

Los Angelez, Cal., Feb. 14.—Lewis Wolfley, former governor at Arizona, died at his home here Saturday from injuries sustained on Friday, when he was run down by a car while on his way to his office. Mr. Wolfley was governor of Arizona in the sightles.

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BRITISH POLITICAL SITUATION.

Our cable dispatches announce the probability of the Conservatives in the British House of Commons uniting with the Liberals in passing the budget. Such a consummation is not improbable, considering that the country has endorsed that budget by a considerable majority and that government cannot be carried on for an indefinite period by the issue of Royal warrants as has become the custom in British Columbia under the regime which calls itself Conservative.

It is inevitable that there must be good deal of speculation about immediate political events in the Old Land considering the peculiarity of the conditions that have been brought about by the election. But to the keen political observer certain facts stand out conspicuously in the foreground. If the majority obtained by the Asquith government is indecisive, there are plainly manifest indications that if that government were thrown out by a Conservative-Nationalist combination and another election precipitated, the conditions would not be likely to undergo a material change. If one section of the country has declared itself in favor of Tood taxes as opposed to land taxes, other sections have placed themselves more decidedly in opposition to protection. The economic sentiment of the constituencies is not likely to undergo a radical change in the space of a very few months. It is simply a case of the large business and manufacturing centres of England being inflexibly arrayed against the agridominated, according to popular conception, by the "squire, the parson and the publican." There is not the remotest possibility of anything occurring to charge the attitude of the constituencies of Scotland and Wales, which have declared emphatically against the usurpation of supreme political authority by the Lords and which is all und against a system which experience has proved elsewhere to have added ma- ly in the future. terially to the keeness of the struggle of the "common people" in the battle

The fact is quite apparent, therefore that an appeal to the country on the part of the Conservatives would simply result in a deadlock. Mr. Balfour is not a shortsighted statesman, whatevery one may think of his lack of dewith which he has been moved from the sound political principles of a lifetime by the reactionary elements in his cal at the present time in Great Britain is unquestionably due in a large degree to the isolation of the Irish alfst party and in a smaller degree to the evenness of the balance between the two great political divisions of the whole country. Under the conditions which at present obtain, it is practically certain that neither of these two parties can obtain a macharge the business of the country independent of the support of the Nationalists. There is therefore only one the motives of Halley's comet. The way to overcome the possibility of a deadlock. That is to decentralise the ticularly if they have access to publi-Ireland, but England and Scotland as to convince a credulous or a super-well, bodies having authority to deal stitious world that the comet may be with affairs that are purely local as an instrument in the hand of a su-

litical possibilities in Great Britain astronomers at the Harvard Observa-That is but natural considering the im-tory have not yet made a photographic tortance of the issues involved. It has spectrum of Halley's comet, which is been suggested that already the Crown rapidly approaching the earth, but 'a rapidly approaching the earth, but 'a league received there from the There is not much probability of such telegram received there from the There is not much probability of such an unfortunate denouement. The King is one of the most sagacious of the statesmen of our own times. He is an in this assistants show very prominent accomplished diplomat also, besides be- cyanogen bands. Cyanogen is a very sense. His Majesty, there is little doubt, salt touched to the tongue being sufforesaw the difficulties which might ficient to cause instant death. In flouse of Lords. No one need have any very similar in its chemical behavior n'isgivings as to his course now. Un- to chlorine and extremely poli less his powers are waning he will be is characterized by an odor similar to guided in his actions entirely by the that of almonds. The fact that cyano-Crown. All the estates of the realm have been taught a lesson by recent political events and agitations. We do not think that there is any desire to precipitate another general ntil public agitation has subsided and the normal balance of the popular ind has been restored. A great dealtruggle just brought to a somewhat conclusive issue. Funds and vitality have been heavily drawn upon. -The nation needs a period of calm for rest.

fast reached the conclusion that the sidered probable that the cyanogen advance is by encouraging immigration. sumed that by adding to its population all our immense worldy possessions or it would also be increasing the keenness of the struggle of life. It failed to realize that immigrants would be concumers as well as producers and competitors. Acting on this presumption it not only ceased to encourage imprigration, but rassively placed obstacles in the nath of immigrants seeking its shores. Then, seeing that Canada was progressive while Ausgaining greater distinction than the Fort and Yates? relative attractions of the two countries justified. But it is satisfactory to been restored to a right mind. In stead of feeding their jealousy of Canada, they are imitating our pollor. They realize that they have been given a whole island continent for a poss-assiston which must be populated if they are ever to reach the summit of shear ambitions. They are holding out inducements to settlers. They are making provision for the newcomers by making the conditions of settlement in viting. They have taken action which will make the holding of large areas by a minimum of ten people unprofusion. They have taken action which will make the holding of large areas by a minimum of ten people unprofusion. They have taken action which will make the holding of large areas by a minimum of ten people unprofusion. They have taken action which will make the holding of large areas by a minimum of ten people unprofusion. They have taken action which will make the holding of large areas by a minimum of ten people unprofusion. They have taken action which will make the holding of large areas by a minimum of ten people unprofusion. They have taken action which will always the trails is a land of wonderful possibilities. It leads the world in experimental establishment of the people unprofusion. They are making the city are to be broken it and they are to be broken it and the season of the fishing the provide store that they are to be broken it and they are to be broken it and they are to be broken it and the season of the minimum of the people unprofusion. With the season of the minimum of the people unprofusion of the rest in the season of the fishing reliable information of improvements? In the committee in the season of the fishing reliable in the provents of the provision of the committee of the conditions under which life's bat the great souther continued the city and the provide store the season of the minimum of the people unprofusion. They are the many time of the people unprofusion of the provide store the season of the subject was reliable to the provide store the provide store the season of the prov bserve that our southern neighbors have been restored to a right mind. In-

In a year or two we will all be won dering why such a fuss was raised over the question of Canadian naval defence. Events will demonstrate that the government has adopted the only possible course. It is a permanen policy, not a "sop," the country will endorse after it has given the question mature considerati

ing and promises to flourish exceeding-

The expenditures of the province of Ontario have increased a good deal more than two-fold in the few years the present government has been in power. That government is Conservative, as everybody in Canada knows If the expenditures of the Liberal government at Ottawa were increasing in a corresponding ratio, Hen. George E. Foster might have good reasons for his annual lamentation on the subject of federal extravagance.

sional (and we might say also bogus) are still gazing at and attempting to account for the movements and analyze sensational class of star-gazers, parlegislative authority and gives not only cations of any kird, seem determined distinguished from business which is preme power for inflicting calamity in of speculation respecting future po-

spectrum of Halley's comet, which is man of acknowledged common deadly polson, a grain of its potassium arise from the reactionary course of the uncombined state it is a bluish gas advice of his constitutional counsellors, gen is present in the comet has been rassment in its dealings with the and many other astronomers, and is causing much discussion as to the probable effect on the earth should it pass through the comet's tail, Prof. Flammarion is of the opinion that the cyanogen gas would impregnate the atmosphere and possibly snuff out all life on the planet. Only once, as far as known, has the earth passed directly of money has been expended in the through the tall of a comet, and at noticed except that there were abundant showers of meteors. Most astronomers do not agree with Flammarion inasmuch as the tail of a comet is in a state of almost inconceivable rarifica-IMMIGRATION AND PROSPERITY, tion, and believe that it would be repelled by the mass of the earth as it is The government of Australia has at by the light of the sun. Also it is cononly way in which a new country can the comet's tail on contact with the earth's atmosphere would be decom-The progress of Canada led to the conversion. A very short time ago the harmless to animal life. It is perhaps government of the Commonwealth as- needless to say we shall not distribute

Nhat Other People Thin

the strength of M. Flammarion's opin

ions. Camille is somewhat of an as

WIDENING FORT STREET.

To the Editor:-I see by Saturday tralia was stationary, if not actually retrogressive, a still more unreasonable obsession took possession of the Antipodean popular mind. It chose to become fealous of the Canadian Dominion. It became convinced that we were receiving more consideration and the city. Would it not be better to remove the car line to Yates street and let Fort street remain as it were receiving more consideration and is, anyway as far as the junction of

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Why should we assist the speculative, non-improving absence owner to despair non-improving absence owner to despair non-improvements of the country. If taxes on improve-

Why should we assist the specularve, non-improving, absentee owner to despail and injure the city? If taxes on improvements are abolished, it is palpaid to the merest tyro that a great incentive to the making of improvements will be given and unproductive lots will be utilized.

I might present the inverse argument showing why land should bear the whole of the civic taxation, but this letter is lengthy enough already.

W. MARCHANT.

CHANGES MADE IN ASQUITH CABINET

(Times Leased Wire.) London, Feb. 14.—Cabinet changes to be made by Premier Asquith, so far as

ecretary, succeeding Herbert Glad-

ceed Churchill as president of board of trade.

Herbert Samuel, hitherto chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, will be ome postmaster-general.

The other ministers will retain their osts for the present.

-Barque Alta is expected from Departure Bay to await orders in Esqui-

-The Bureau of Provincial Informa-The Bureau of Provincial Interna-tion has just issued-official bulletin No. 20 dealing with the fisheries of British Columbia. This takes the place of bulletins numbers 13 and 16, which are out of print owing to the great demand, and is a comprehensive treamand, and is a comprehensive trea-tise on the subject of the leading in-dustries of this province. The bulle-tin was compiled by Frank I. Clarke, secretary of the bureau, who has suc-ceeded admirably at his task of furhishing reliable information regarding the present conditions of the fishing industry and of pointing out its future possibilities. A humber of well-executed photo-engravings are included in the bulletin.

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An address will be given this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, in the sailors and Soldiers' homes. Esquimais, under the auspices of the Conqueror Juvenile Temple, I. O. G. T., by Rev. Baugh Allen. He will speak on the work of the Boy Scouts, and the lecture will be illustrated by about 100 lantern sildes.

The concluding services in connec-ion with the jubilee commemoration of the church in British Columbia will be held in St. Paul's cathedral, says a London paper. The Bishop of London viil be the preacher. The concluding neeting of the committee of the Brinclude the Bishop of Kingston, the Hon, J. H. Turner and Canon Bean-

This evening the First Presbyterian Church Club will be favored with the presence of Dr. Ernest Hall, who will deliver a lecture on "Criminality, its Causes and Cure." Dr. Hall's fame as a lecturer on this and kindred subjects is widespread. In view of the recent movement in favor of a juvenile court, house of correction etc. recent ourt, house of correction, etc., recenty developed in this city, the doctor's ecture is timely. The lecture will be upplemented with vocal and instru supplemented with vocal and instru-mental selections from Mrs. E. Par-son, Mrs. Jesse Longfield, E. Parson, Jesse Longfield and J. G. Brown, The public are cordially invited to attend. No admission or collection.

-This evening the Young People's Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will hold a devotional meeting. topic for consideration will be "The Young People in Relation to the Church." This is to be dealt with under three headings Mrs. Patterson will give a paper on "The Young People in the Sunday School." "The Young People in the Church" will be taken by Mrs. Simpson, while Mrs. C. C. Michener will give as her subject "The Young People and Missions." Mr. Angus is to give a sacred sale device. The Young People in Relation to the

Angus is to give a sacred solo during the evening.

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Victoria-Barometer, 23.76; temperature, 28; minimum, 28; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Kamloops-Barometer, 25.74; temperature, 22; minimum, 18; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, part cloudy.

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Mirth and Melody will go hand in hand at the Pantages this week, for to-day is the beginning of the musical comedy season to be inaugurated in

comedy seasen to be inaugurated in this city by the Armstrong musical company of Gaity girls.

The entire company is here, and everything in readiness for the merry musical whirl-pretty singing and dancing girls, funny comedians, sightly sittings and all that goes with the correct production of that charming musical jingle "In Gay Paree." The Armstrong company is reputed as becorrect production of that charming musical jingle "In Gay Paree." The Armstrong company is reputed as being one of the very best of its class in the West, with all of its offerings clean and clever, in fact the personnel of this organization is of such high merit that there is no occasion for resorting to suther lines or actions that would be considered by the most average.

illary of Christ Church cathedral de-sire to thank their friends who contri-buted so liberally toward the donation party held on Shrove Tuesday.

-In the last issue of the Martilet, the weekly paper of the McGill University, a page is devoted to a former Victorian, Frederick G. C. Wood. Mr. Wood holds several important positions at the university, being the president of the Western Club, Readers' Club and his own class in arts '10.

-The remains of the late Mrs. Jane Bailile were interred in Ross Bay cemetery on Saturday afternoon. The funeral took place at 2:30 o'clock from the B. C. Faneral Furnishing Com-pany's pariors. Rey. A. M. Miller of-ficiated. Numerous flowers were presented and many friends were in at tendance. The pullbearers were: J. P. Donaldson, J. Johnson, Jas. Donald-son and J. Barber,

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daffy Report Eurnished by the Victoria

Victoria, Feb. 14.-5 a. m.-Heavy rain has fallen on the Coast and snow inland on the higher lands of the Rocky Mountain regions in this province, Alberta and Montana. The storm area has moved

Forecasts.

Lower Mainland-Light to moderate ture, zero; minimum, zero; wind, calm; Reports.

Victoria-Barometer, 29.76; temperature, 23; minimum, 23; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, m, 33; wind, 4 miles N.; rain,

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hat was a masterpiece."
Miss Powell will be at the Victoria

-The abolition of the \$100 license fe This evening the Young Ladies' fibble class of the Centennial Methodist church will hold a Vaientine social in the schoolroom of the church. All members are invited to attend.

The dance and concert to be given this evening by Court Maple Leaf, A. O. F., in the Foresters' hall, Broad street, is expected to prove an enjoyable affair. The musical programme is an excellent one and many local artists will contribute numbers. After this is over dancing will be indulged in.

Norrish, of Ross street, will be glad to hear that she has passed with hoars from the Columbia Conservatory of Music.

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well as instruction.
Such a play is "As the Sun Went Down," the new play by George D. Baker, which will be presented here to night at the Victoria opera house in precisely the same manner that it has been presented in several of the largest cities this season. It is a very taking story of western life, without the wild sensationalism of some of the western plays its story is one that is full of heart interest and bright company, blended in such a manner that it gives to the story a happy balance.

The company, which is headed by Bstha Williams, who is well remembered here for her splendid work as "Parepa," the Octoroon in "At the Old Cross Roads," is reported to be collectively one of unusual merit.

-For the purpose of raising funds to assist in the construction of the new Grace English Lutheran church Mrs. Eng has donated a beautiful piece of needlework to be raffled for. This is on view at Sommers' Art Gallery, Government street. Any person may purchase tickets and be entitled to a chance in the drawing.

chance in the drawing.

— The funeral of the late Henry Kearnes Le Leivre took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the parlors of the Victoria Undertaking Company, where Rev. H. A. Carson conducted an impressive service. There was a large attendance of friends, the deceased, who was a native son, being widely known throughout this city. Members of the Painters unlon, of which the late Mr. Le Leivre was a member, attended in a body. Interment was made in Ross Bay cemetery. The following acted as pallocarers: J. I Young, W. Evans, H. Matthews, W. Jenks, E. Johnson and A. E. Talbot.

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dance hall. These things when group

open the club house to the public new under consideration, and will b held as soon as the building is com-pleted, which will be about the middle

dents at the lake, and have promised to do all in their power to make the

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Them

Dr. Ings, president of the Caledonias

Pootball Club, Calgary, has been ap-

cup and the Minto cup in nockey and lacrosse, the games taking, place on the holder's grounds. This would suit Calgary down to the ground, and if accepted there will be many champion-ship games played in Calgary.

GAMES IN THE EAST.

Montreal, Que., Feb. 14.—The Wanderers defeated the Canadians here. Saturday night at the Jubilee Rink by the score of 9 to 4.

Montreal, Que., Feb. 14.—The final score in the Ottawa-Renfrew hockey

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Victoria, B. C.

J. B. A. A. MEN AT SHAWNIGAN

SPEAK VERY HIGHLY CF CLUBHOUSE THERE

Regattas, Picnics and Dances for Popular Resort This Summer

That the Shawnigan Lake Athletic Association will be one of the leading institutions on the Island as regards summer athletics, more especially rowing, is a fact that members of the local J. B. A. A. seem convinced. Yes-terday the majority of the management committee of the J. B. A. A. spent the fixy at the popular summer resort up the Island, looking at the club house now in the course of construction and sixing up the facilities afforded for the promoting of regattas on the lake in-

stead of at the Garge here.

The new club house of the Shawnigan The new club house of the Shawnigan Lake Athletic Association is now almost completed, and as soon as the weather settles the builders can go thead with the sningling. It is built in three-story style, and is situated on a small hill adjoining. Koenig's. The ground floor of the building will be seed to house the four-oared, lapteres as doubles, singles, etc., for which hore is an abjundance of room. On the streaks, doubles, singles, etc., for which here is an abundance of room. On the first floor, which is the main one, is suilt a picturesque veranda that will seat four rows of people, from which is view can be had of at least three niles straight up the lake. All crews an be watched from the start of every ace right to the finish, which is right off the new club house. Back of the every account on the same floor is a dance eranda, on the same floor, is a dance cranda, on the same floor, is a dance sail which is roomy and very finely fitted up. A good floor is being prepared, and will be laid as soon as the weather permits. On the top floor arrangements are being made for about ten bedrooms, such of which will have a large window, affording a good view of the lake. Phese rooms will be at the disposal of iow, affording a good view of the lake for the coarsmen, who will come to the lake to train. They will be especially handy whea crews come there for the N. P. A. A. O. regatta, when representatives will flock in from Seattle, Portland, Vancouver and Netson, Shower baths will be fixed up in conjunction with the club.

Great Course.

Amateur Football Association.

Western Canada. Referring to the Calgary from the East that the association was going to draw up a set of rules and constitution for the People's championship shield. At present it had not yet been decided how the games will be played in the future. In the East they favored playing under

President F. T. Elford took the J. R. A. A. representatives for an hour's trip over the course on the lake, and It A. A. representatives for an hours trip over the course on this lake, and it was the unanimous opinion of all that the course was not to be equalled anywhere on the coast. Never are the waters rough, there is no driftwood floating about, and there are no prominancies along the course to hinder the rews from making a straight line from the start of the race to the finish. Taking all in all the course is ideal, and a straight course can be laid out for three miles, whereas the majority of boat races are only half of that. It is quite possible that most of the J. B. possible that most of the J. B. regattas will be held up there

Athletic Grounds Too. match on Saturday was as follows: in arranging for the association's Ottawa, 8; Renfrew, 5,

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. combinations.

success Secretary Blake and his asso-ciates have left no stone unturned, and have a piece of property of large pro-portions directly behind the club house. Mrs. Koenig will have it graded down

Mrs. Koenig will have it graded down and fixed up so that it will be just the thing for picnics, running races, ball games and the like. With these arranged local organizations will have something that has been a much needed factor, for some years' past. A place where they have everything, the water, the club house, the athletic grounds, and last, but not least, the handsome dance hall. These things when group-Northwestern League Clubs Have Three Day Series

The 1910 Northwestern Baseball ed together make everything that is desired in the way of picnic grounds. The opening dance which will throw League schedule has been drafted and the season will open on April 23rd with the Beavers playing in Spokane.

Vancouver gets 70 home games and plays something like 80 games away from This season with only pleted, which will be about the middle of April. Trains will leave here at 8 o'clock in the evening, returning after the dance is over. The returning J. B. A. A. delegates that made the trip up the Island were loud in their praise of the manner in which they was treated while at Shawnigan by Mrs. Keenig and the other enthusiastic residence of the lake, and have promised four clubs on the circuit the schedule has been so arranged as to give the clubs a chance to play half of the week on the Sound and then at Vancouver for the last three days, or vice versa. The 70 games scheduled to be played in Vancouver comprise 23 with Seattle 26 with Spokane and 21 with Tacoma-Last season with six clubs Vancouver only had 93 games scheduled for home and about 20 or 30 of this number were later transferred.

finencially and socially.

Those who made the trip from the J. B. A. A. were: Secretary V. K. Gray, Leo Sweeney, K. T. Hughes, John P. Sweeney and R. H. Hiscocks. They were met at the depot by the following officers of the Shawnigan Lake Athletic Association: President F. T. Elford, Vice-President W. E. Wheeler, Secretary-Treasurer E. W. Blake, and Messrs. T. G. Dundas and E. M. Walbank. Seattle will have 78 home games, Spokane 76 and Tacoma 64. Vancou-ver only gets five full weeks, the rest of the games extending over three-day Season Opens April 23rd.

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According to the schedule the season will open on Saturday, April 23rd. Vancouver playing in Spokane. The Beavers will play fine games with the Indians, jumping thence to Seattle for three games and will then return home on May 5th, when the official opening in Vancouver will be duly observed by fans, suffragetics, and peant eater. fans, suffragettes and peagut eaters. Tacoma opens in Seattle, playing for three consecutive days, after which the teams will jump to the City of Destiny. Vancouver will not be on the road for any great time—in fact, the jumps are all short this year and the teams will have a rather case time of it. The will have a rather easy time of it. The longest stay at home for any team is two weeks and this only happens a two weeks and this only happens a tree Canteen grounds by three to two couple of times, while the teams will never be away from home for more than two weeks at a time. The season but for a little hard luck would have

MEMSIC AND POWELL.

(Times Leased Wire.)" Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 14.-With the fight between George Memsie and Lew Powell but one day off, it begins to look as though there will be no favor-ite. Money is not being bet freely. The the East they favored playing under the system in vogue for the Stanley cup and the Minto cup in hockey and odds are even.

Training was practically concluded in both camps yesterday, Powell boxed six lively rounds with Al. Rogers, Curly O'Connet and Sattor Henson, He said he weighted 185 pounds, Road work was his portion to-day to bring him down to weight. Memsic went five rounds with his sparring partners. He is in fine form, apparently, and has much more confidence in himself than when he faced Picato recently.

RUERY FOOTBALL.

VICTORIA AND VANCOUVER. Victoria has accepted the date of-fered, February 26th, for the fourth match in the McKechnie cup series against Vancouver to be played at the Royal Athletic park. Next Saturday the Vancouver team plays Nanaimo at Brockton point.

VICTORIA WEST MEETING.
The Victoria West Athletic Associa the vistoria west Athetic Associa-tion building committee will meet to-morrow night at the club rooms. The members of the sub-committees will make a report. The fund is reported to be growing steadily and the executive expects to have the full \$5,000 inside of

The Prussian government supports iwenty training schools for the metal industries, in which more than 4,000 pupils are enrolled each year.

VICTORIA WEST BEAT REGIMENT BY A GOAL

North Ward Defeated Empress -Nanaimo Match Postponed

Victoria West and North Ward are the second division Island soccer league teams that won on Saturday in the first matches of the second division Island league southern and these two are now, with or win each, equal for top blace at this end of the Island. The defeated teams were the Regiment and the Empress. The northern schedule does not start until February 26th.

Victoria West beat the Regiment by three goals to two after a close game

three goals to two after a close game all through, and neither side could be all through, and neither side could be-said to have the advantage until Vic-toria West recorded the winning goal a few minutes before time was called. The North Ward eleven, however, had an easy task against the Empress eleven and won by five goals, the backs of the winning team defending so strongly that the Empress forwards were unable to score. unable to score,

Victoria West and Regiment. The teams played at the east end 'o The teams played at the east end of the ground and the rain had made it slippery, affecting both players and ball. The play was therefore not as clean as it would have been on a fine day, the second division players, however, put up a fine game on Saturday, raying through in the rain and having to struggle hard until the last moment. There was only a goal between ing to struggle hard until the last mo-ment. There was only a goal between the teams all the afternoon. Victoria West scored first and the score re-mained one to nil till after the second half had commenced. The Regiment attacked hard to bring the score on an equality, but the players were unable to pass the backs until early in the second half, when Lineham put the hall through. Victoria West secured a second half, when Lineham put the ball through. Victoria West secured a second goal through the agency of Winsby, and later a strong attack by the Regiment evened the score again. With two goals each and only ten of fifteen minutes fo play the teams struggled hard. Victoria West second division team seems to have the habit of the senters of always being able to ARE ANNOUNCED

division team seems to have the habit of the sentors of always being able to get a goal when wanted, and this they did in the last few minutes of play and carned their first win in the league.

The teams all round showed good football, taking the condition of the ground and the pouring rain into consideration. The referee held the game in head to a processful way and was in hand in a successful way and was satisfactory to both sides. Richardson skilsfactory to both sides. Richardson skinned his face badly by bringing it into collision with Winsby's boot, but otherwise there were no mishaps. The Victoria West team consisted of O'Hara, Greig, Wales, Hall, Dilger,

Wormold, Winsby, Sedger, T. Wor-old, Tait and Sandard, Sedger, T. Wor-

mold, Tait and Sargison.

The Regiment team was Lefevre,
Wilson, Johnston, Smith, W. Gowans,
'rometon, Lineham, Middleton, T. Peden, Richardson and Miller. North Ward and Empress.

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The Empress team was outplayed, being shut out by five to nil. The team was not the strongest the hotel men can put in the field, and at times they made some impression on the backs of the North Ward team. The impression, however, never carried the ball into the goal, while the winning team playing practically the same team that won them the second division Victoria city championship scored twice in the first half of the game, and ion Victoria city championship scored twice in the first half of the game, and ofter the change of ends registered three more goals. The best team won both on play and score, but that need not prevent the Empress team from coming along next time with a stronger team and reversing the score. This match was played at the other end of the ground.

the ground. Nanaimo and Ladysmith. The first division game between Na-nalmo and Ladysmith scheduled to be played at Nanalmo Saturday afterplayed at Namamo saturday accep-neon was postponed by mutual agree-ment of the teams. The players lined up on the field in a hard spow storm. A consultation was held and the referee called the game off, postponing until next Saturday afternoon. School Football.

will come to a close on September 24th been able to save the game from defin Vancouver, and the following day in Seattle and Tacoma.

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HIGH SCHOOL AND VICTORIA PLAY DRAW

Two Goals Each Scored in Hockey Match at Oak Bay

The High School and Victoria ladies' hockey teams played the first of a series of three games for a cup presented by W. H. Wilkerson on Saturday, and the match resulted in a drawwith the score two goals each. The gome was played early in the afterneon at Oak Bay.

The star player on the High School side was Miss Agnes Fullerton, who recorded both the High School goals, both obtained in workmanlike manner.

both obtained in workmanlike manner For Victoria Misses Ollie Grant and For Victoria Alsses One Grant and Stuart were the scorers. The Victoria team was not at its full strength, there being four, of the players away. The game was played in light, rain on a slippery ground. H. G. Daiby refereed.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Vancouver, Feb. 12.—The dead body of a man, later identified as that of Harry J. Smith, formerly of Fort William, was found in a bed at a lodging, house at 217 Westiminater avenue yesterday afternoon. The discovery was made by the landlady, at five o'clock. She immediately called the police and the coroner was summoned.

The landlady stated that the day before the man, who was a new arrival, had complained of being sick. Papers on his body gave the name of Harry J. Smith, and he was also identified as bearing that name. He was an engineer.



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W. W. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior N. B.-Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

The Bank of Vancouver

Public notice is hereby given that a meeting of the subscribers of the capital stock of The Bank of Vancouver will be held at the Beard of Tgade Rooms, Moisons Bank Building, 52 Hastings street W. Vancouver, B. C. on Tuesday, the first day of March, 1916, at 19 o'clock a.m. The business of the meeting will be to determine the day of March, 1916, at 1916.

failure of any selection on the day ap-pointed for it:

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meeting, in order to the tree of the control of the Provisional Board of Directors.

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AT HOME FRIDAY. Miss West, Dubin University modern languages. Miss Bell: drawing, Miss Guiland; junior music, Miss Tilly; dameding, Miss Heyland; class singing, Mr. Pollard; kindergarten, Miss Penwill.

AT HOME FRIDAY.

FEAD THE DAILY TIMES

Columbia, Rev. Dr. Assmus, or Spokane, occupied the pulpit both morning and evening. This evening Dr. Rasmus, who is a very impassioned speaker, will give an address of "Life as the Climax of Art" in the Metropolitan church. The address is highly spoken of.

TO REFORM **ELECTION LAWS**

PENDING BILL

BY NEW MINISTRY

Its Provisions Designed to End a Number of Glaring

(By Charles C. Stewart, London Correspendent of the United Press.) London, Feb 12.-The election reform xpected to introduce is designed to

emplish four particularly important University School For Gir's things:
1. To put further obstacles in the way of election believer and intimidation and to increase the penalties for both.

S. To redistrict the country so that all parts will have equal representation in parliament according to population.

3. To modify the residential qualifications which at present present present discussions. tions which at present practically dis-franchise a large proportion of the working population.

4. To end the existing system of

Against the actual payment of money for votes the law is even new exceed-ingly strict. The so-called "farming" of constituencies, however, is a well-

of constituencies, however, is a well-established custom, the prospective candidate laying a foundation for his campaign months in advance by gifts to institutions and individuals in the district from which he expects subse-quently to run for parliament. Even-during campaign-time pressns who. during campaign-time persons who, though not personal friends, favor the party to which he belongs, cannot be evented from making presents, ostensiply from non-political motives, to voters whose ballots are thereby as good as actually bought. Promises by large employers of extra-work in the event of contrary results, the refusal of employers to let their employees vote at all, evictions of tenants for political-work discrepancy and the evertises of sec. acalelterancy and the exerting of somon as to invite no attention. The common as to fivine no attention. The Conservatives, including mainly the moneyed, employing and socially pow-erful classes as well as most of the Church of England clergy, profit im-mensely by these-customs at the Lib-

Under the existing apportionment the trider the existing apportunited the rural districts, where the old-fashlomed tenant- farmers and their employees tend generally toward Conservatism and where the aristocrats, coming into and where the aristocrats, coming into closer touch with the people, are more induential, have enormously larger parliamentary representations than the urban industrial districts where, with few exceptions, Liberal majorifies are

pective elector is required in city and country alike, to show that he was lived continuously in the same house the continuously in the conti

for a period varying, according to the time of year upon which election day falls, from one year to nearly two years. The generally Consevant or trait voters, living usually for generations on the same spot, easily meet this requirement. The generally Liberal city workman, moving frequently from lodging to lodging, lose an enormous number of votes through inability to meet it. Political statisticians esti-CENTRAL AMERICA

Peace Delegate May Ask the United States to Into meet it. Political statisticians esti-mate the total of these lost votes ar 1,590,000 for England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland.

San Salvador, Salvador, Feb. 14. Most of the delegates to the second Central American Peace congress are declared to be in favor of asking the United States to intervene to bring There is no dispute that nearly at these plural voters are conservatives. For one man to cast a dozen or fifteen votes is common. A considerable number have twenty and a few run as high as thirty odd. As an election, covering a period of more than two weeks progresses, they travel from constituency to constituency until every vote has been east. peace in Central America. It is believed the Nicaraguan situation is dilieved the Nigaraguan situation is directly responsible for the sentiment.

'A move is on foot to submit a resolution to the congress asking intervention. It will not be submitted unless the members now said to favor it agree to support it, as it is declared it will support it, as it is declared it will been cast.
In many constituencies these socalled "out-voters" are numerous ed "out-voters" are humerous be extremely embarrassing for some of the delegates if the movement should enough to decide an election. The constituency of Tottenham, in Middlesex, has 2,000 of themeout of a total voting population of 29,260; Walthamstow, in Essex, has 2,300 out of 29,117; Banbury, Oxfordorsbire, shas 1,000 out of 5,021; Medway, Kent, 2,704 out of 1,327; Wimbledon, Surrey, 3,492 out of 27,812. In-asmuch as in scarcely any of these constituencies, which are but a few monty many, gave a majority in the

Faction in a number of the govern-Faction in a number of the govern-ments, fostered by the Nicaraguan rev-olution, make it advisable, the dgte-gates say, that intervention come soon, if it comes at all.

The congress had adopted a resolu-

tion favoring the gold monetary stan-dary for Central America.

DROWNED IN THE FRASER.

in many, gave a majority in the election of as large a number as of the "out-voters," it is evident that of the "out-voters," it is evident that the latter decided their elections.

New Westminster, Feb. 12. Barder, F. Darcy, of New Westminster, for many years prominent in musical circles on the lower mainland, met his death in the waters of the Fraser river on Friday evening. The deceased evi-dently had been crossing the bridge on the railroad tracks, when he fell over. the railroad tracks, when he ted over the spineser. Williams of the tug Fearless, which had just passed the bridge with a tow, saw him walking towards the edge of the structure, evidently to avoid a G. N. R. train then crossing. Capt. Meyers, of the tug Chemainus, belind the tow heard the splash, and later picked up the de-

passed's hat in the water.
Darcy was 55 years of age, was a nave of Ireland, and leaves a widow was well westminster and one daughter Topeka, Kas., Feb. 14.—The Supreme court of the state has granted a limited writ of ouster against the International Harvester Company.
Under the terms of the writ the company is prohibited from giving exclusive contracts to agents, from limiting territory and taking other steps which the court holds are in violation of the anti-trust law. Vancouver.

THE FAIRBANKS INCIDENT.

Organ of English-Speaking Catholics in Rome on Attitude of Vatican.

The court reserved the right to take up complaints in the future and settle them as it sees it, thus retaining supervisory power over the company's business in this state. The court holds:
"Under the evidence, a complete for the company of the co the organ of the English-speaking Catholics here, Saturday published a long editorial on Chas. W. Fairbanks, which is believed to have been inspired by the Vatican. The editorial says: "Mr. Fairbanks' Protestantism is broad and logical, and allows him to feiture of the company's charter and its right to do business is justifiable, but the court does not deem such action necessary at this time. put his stalwart shoulder to the wheel nut his stalwart shoulder to the wheel to help on every good cause. Though a strong party man in politics, his devotion to party does not make him desire the disappearance of all parties but his own, and he has the same theory with regard to religion. He is a Methodist, but he has no wish that Methodism should be the only religion to the expense of sending the delegates to Ottawa. The action of Capt. Grant is very gratifying to the board of trade.

The University of Paris has received endowments totalling \$20,000 with which to promote aviation. in the case reported to the court that the International Harvester Company was a trust, but declared that it was

of millions of good Americans, friendly to the Catholic church and believing SERVING LIQUOR that it makes little difference man's religion is, providing he does his best to live up to it."

the former wee-president and the Vatican, the Review emphasizes the tol-erance of the Vatican and points out that a man may spend his whole life working in the Vatican archives and galleries without even being questioned as to whether he is a Turk or an Athlest. He may even be a diplomatic

representative to the Holy See without being a Catholic.
"But the all-embracing liberality of the Vatican," continues the Iterew, "cannot include the Methodist organization here, which entered Rome through the breach wade on Sent 10. through the breach made on Sept. 10, 1870, with Garibaldi's red shirts, Many animosities have resulted in the forty years, but they have made no change in the spirit or the system of the Methodists. Their organization as established does not minister to the tablished does not minister to the wants of visiting Methodists here, but of the people.

"Not only that, but the Methodists ace court, having been brought direct have always been bitterly and avowed-ly anti-papal, eagerly welcoming every lodged in Jali, and pleaded guilty to a opportunity to discharge their against Catholicism and the Holy Sec. Statistics, combiled by themselves, show that the cost of making a single Roman Catholic a Methodist averages seven thousand francs (\$1,400). During New Westminster, Feb. 12.—Edward the last forty years they have spent twelve millions in this unholy work of

proseltyzing Catholics, especially Catholic children.

"Mr. Fairbanks did not know these facts, or he would not have given his promise to speak in the Methodist church 24 hours before the time fixed for his audience with the Pope, Otherwise, he would have understood how incompatible was his public appearance in this hotbed of anti-Catholic proseltysing and anti-papal bitterness.

In spite of the fact that in the receiving of donations to assist in pay-ing the expenses of the board of trade delegates to Ottawa it was impossible to make a systematic appeal, money to make a systematic appeal, money has come in quite freely. Just before the delegates left for the East Captain William Grant, who, has been unable to attend the meetings, sent a donation of \$50, at the same time writing that he sent this as an evidence of the appreciation he felt for the way in which the board had acted. As he had not been able to voice his appreciation not been able to voice his appreciation at the meetings he took the opportunity of showing that he was in full ac-

TO DRUNKEN MAN

for Cruelly Beating Horse

Thomas McManus, licensee of the California hotel, was charged in the police court this morning with permitting a man under the influence premises with an intoxicant. The case was finally adjourned until Wednesday, when the magistrate will give his

License Inspector Handley, and Constables Fry and Macdonald gave evidence that a man named William Line was drunk in the hotel on Monday of is directed towards preverting the faith last week and was served with liquor. Line appeared the next day in the pocharge of drunkenness.

Against the three witnesses for the A. Neill, the bartender: George Jones, and F. Muhrer, who all declared the accused was not drunk.

Frank Higgins appeared for fendant licensee and quoted a number of authorities. E. L. Harrison, city ecutor, appeared for the prose-

prosecutor, appeared for the prosecution.

Charged with cruelly beating a horse with a whip. Alexander Lorne pleaded not guilty, but was convicted. He was fined \$10. J. A. Glesson and Constable Wood swore to seeing accused h lding the animal by the bridle in an enclosure on Fisguard street and beating it cruelly with a whip. The defendant and George Little said Lorne had hit the horse twice only, so he paid at the rate of \$5 per stroke.

rate of \$5 per stroke.

This action was taken at the instance of the local S. P. C. A.

Markolosis, a foreigner, was charged, by the Dominion inspector of fisheries with fishing with a herring seine net without a license in Esquimalt harbor on February 13th. The defendant was allowed a remand until Wednesday to allowed a remand until Wednesday to obtain legal representation

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

Vicksburg, Miss., Feb. 14.-Fire which riginated in the dry goods establishent of Kuhn Bros, in the most cennent of kunn Bros. In the most central section of the business district of Yicksburg, Saturday destroyed that building and an adjoining structure occupied by the Valley Dry Goods Co., besides damaging other buildings in the immediate vicinity, causing a joss aggregating \$300,000.

WINS SCHOLARSHIP.

Oxford, Eng., Feb. 14.-M. F. Wood-row, a Rhodes scholar from Kentucky, has won the Vinerian law scholarship at Oxford University.

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CITY OF VICTORIA VS. B. C. ELECTRIC CO.

Full Text of Judgment Delivered by Chief Justice

Appended is the full text of the judgment delivered by Chief Justice Mac-donald of the Court of Appeal at the special session on Friday last, in the action of Victoria vs. The British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited—the decision finally defining the rights of the street car company to carry freight-within the city of Vic-toria, even when it may be deemed necessary, in the opinion of the company to build lines, to do so.

In the opinion of J. P. Mann, the city solicitor, the judgment of the court is of far-reaching importance, as by it the company has the right to construct lines of railway in any part of the city, even across boulevards if it so desires. Mr. Mann thinks that the city council should at the earliest opportunity take steps to petition the legislature for a declaration restrict-ing the powers of the company in this particular and will probably so advise the council this evening. The judg

ment is as follows:

The dispute in this action arises u der an act of the legislature ch. 63 of the Acts of 1894, which embodies an the acts of 1884, which embodies an agreement made between the city and the railway company, or its predeces-sors, in 1888, whereby the company was given powers to construct a system of street railways in the city. The act, after confirming the agreement, visions with respect to the rights and obligations of the parties.

The plaintiff claims a declaration that the defendants are not under said agreement and statute, or otherwise, entitled to tear up a certain street or highway and sidewaik thereon, known as Glaustone avenue, fronting on section 58, Spring Ridge, nor to construct over such highway and sidewalk into over such highway and sidewalk into the said section 58 a line of rails for the conveyance of gravel for the Lineham, Scott Sand & Gravel Company along the company's system to the customers of the said firm, and for an

A motion was then made by the plaintiff for an injunction founded upon an affidavit, by the city engineer which affirms that the defendants were about to proceed with the work. and that no permission had been given,

tion 58, and sking that the city engineer should be instructed to give the necessary grade. The letter also contained this paragraph:

"Should there be no reason to insist upon the gaving of 30 days' notice and you will kindly wa've the same the work can be started without delay."

The affidavit also states that no other notice was given by the company of its intention to lay down this spur, and that no application had been made by the company for the engineer's per-mission or supervision of the work, that the engineer reported upon the company's request, and defendant was notified that the request would not be

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dertaker, and A. H. Craig, an attoring of gravel for the said sand and

gravel company, and that the defendant's workmen were then engaged in

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ham, Scott Sand & Gravel Company hear to make application to the council for permission to scheetrick a *spur track from the B. C. Electric Railway Company's line into jot so hear terminus of the Spring Ridge car line, to be used by us as a temporary depot-Company's line into lot 58 near the to be used by us as a temporary depot-for the storage of sand, etc., for city deliveries."

Then follow certain undertakings as

to the manner of doing the work, and to the manner of doing the work, and the last paragraph reads as follows:

"The privilege is revocable by the courfeil at any time on reasonable not tice, and upon the same being revoked we undertake that the ralls shall be removed and the readway and siderwalk be made good within such time as the city engineer may require." as the city engineer may require

The application was heard before Martin, J., and counsel agreeing thereto, the motion was turned into a metion for judgment, and trial of the action. The only evidence before the
learned judge was that supplied by the writ, notice of motion, and affidavit above referred to. The learned judge refused the motion and dismissed the action, and from that order the plain-tiff has appealed to this court. (Concluded on page 45.)

PETRIANA DELAYED,

Coming up the Coast under a reduce head of steam on account of a sh of coal, the Nochern Steamship pany's new steamer Petriana, due Saturday, will not arrive till Friday Saturday of this week.

The Petriana left Greenock on Dec-ber 2nd last, met rough weather in Bay of Hiscay and put into Vigo for pairs. She left that port on December 12th, and had not been heard of until the end of last week.

ALBERTA CROPS.

Calgary, Feb. 14.—The Daily Mail ublishes an affidavit by N. J. Heaton, located northeast of Calgary, in which it is shown that spring wheat averaged 48 bushels per acre, while 55 acres of the averaged 124 bushels per acre, Ar A letter from defendants' manager of contact the company to run a spur off Gladstone avenue track on to the said-sec-

BATTLING WITH WAVES

Body of Sailor is Swept From Craft by the Heavy Seas

(Times Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash. Feb. 14. With the Captain Shotton to Take Com-

The corpse, which had been placed in a rough wooden coffin and tied to the launch with ropes, was lost in the battle with the waves.

The coroner at Bremerton was no-tified on Saturday that the body of a man had been seen floating in the water near Wing Point. The coroner sent Winch and Craig in a launch with instructions to take the body to Breminstructions to take the body to Brem-erton. The two men found the body near Wing Point, and after consider-able difficulty it was placed in the im-provised coffin, which was lashed to the stern of the launch.

When Winch and Craig started for themerion it had become dark. A heavy sea was rolling and a high wind blowing, which carried the lauxch far out of its course. The waves were breaking completely over the little vessel when the two men decided to search the clothing of the corpse for fear the coffin would be torn from its fastenings and less before the features. Exemerton, it had become fastenings and lost before the identity Tastenings and lost before the identity of the body was known. This had just bren done when the ropes snapped and the coffin containing the body was carried off in the waves. From papers taken from the pockets of the clothing it was learned that the man's name

was fearned that the halfs hands were staged in the halfs hand with the greatest difficulty the two non kept the engine of the launch in action and were able to beach the vessel at Richmond Beach.

OTTER RETURNS

Steamer Otter returned yesterday from a trip to tile West Coast with freights for Alberni and Sechart. She took bone and coal to the latter place. The bone was from the whaling station at Page's Lagoon, near Nanaimo, which has been closed down for the winter, perhaps for all time. During the past winter thirty whales were taken in the Gulf of Georgia and reduced at the Nanaimo station. The bone from these is now being ground at Sechart.

HEAVY CARGO ON BANK LINER

SUVERIC ARRIVED HERE YESTERDAY

mand of New Steam

Arriving at William Head late on Saturday and remaining there all night the steamer Suveric, one of the big steamers of the Bank line, tied up at the outer dock yesterday morning and discharged nearly 100 tops of freight before leaving for Vancouver. The vessel had about 5,000 tons aboard, including 340 packages of silk and 800 packages of valuable skins. The latter consignment consisted of sable, leopard, bear and goat pelts shipped from Shaughai. The rest of the cargo consisted of 3,000 tons of hemp from Manilia, and a quantity of rice from China and tea from Japan.

Two white passengers came across on the steamer, Mr. and Mrs. Free Elms, who are visiting here a short time before returning to China. Eleven Chinese arrived, but only six of these debarked at this port, the others pro-ceeding to Vancouver. Heavy gales were experienced by the

steamer shortly after leaving hama, and this accounted for the fact

that the steamer was late.
Stanley Shotton, the youngest commander in the whole of the Andrew
Weir fleet, will leave the Suveric on her return to the Orient. He will then go to England to take charge of one of the new steamers which are being built. His place on the Suveric will be taken by Capt. Cowley, formerly of the Kumeric, but now on the steamer Yedde.

According to news brought by the Suveric the question of the annexa-tion of Korea is still a live one. Several of the Japanese newspapers have taker of the Japanese newspapers have taken the matter up and are advocating it, claiming that it will mean that country will get a better government than she has at prepare. One of the members of the Diet also has prepared a set of questions for the government to answer in which he tries to commit them to a change in Korea.

News was brought by the steamer of big fire in Yokohama in which the a big fire in Yokonama in which the captain of the German cruiser Arcona, then in port, led eight men to the rescue and succeeded in saving a great deal of property.

Shortly before the Suveric left Hong-

kong a British naval officer was vio-lentis ulted by a number of Ameri-can blue ackets who were at the time under the influence of liquor. They up-set his rickshaw and turned him out

set his rickshaw and turned him out. Later they were arrested and turned over to the American authorities, by whom they were held for trial. The Suveric brought a large cargo, but she is expected to earry to the Orient a much heavier cargo than she because.

TROUBLE WITH THE STOMACH

That Can Only Be Cured When Liver and Kidneys Are Set Right by DR. A. W. CHASE'S KID. NEY AND LIVER PILLS.

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AUSTRALIAN COAL

Men Will Return to Work on the Twenty-First of This

Month

ood running order again, but as soon as hat has been done and the vessels which are lying idle have been supplied with soil, conditions will once more become sormal. A number of vessels are now on heir way to Australia with coal from india and Japan. Some of this may be diverted, but the rest will have to be taken and will have a tendency to glutthe Australian market. Local steamers will now be able to obtain coal from Vancouver island mines.

For a number of years past Australia has been pointed to as one of the countries where they avoid strikes. The admirers of that country will now have to look for some other model country for their statistics.

ADVERTISING CRESTON

Creston Feb. 12-The publicity co have just given an order for 20,000 letterheads and 20,000 envelopes, with every comprehensive facts about Creston printed on the back. These will be printed in red ink, and will be a most effective form of advertising the district.

HEAR TRIANGLE ISLAND STATION

ONE MORE LINK IN WIRELESS CHAIN

C. P. Edwards Rushing Work at Prince Rupert-Quadra Returned

The new wireless station at Triangle Island is in operation, but will not be ready for regular business for a few days. Messages have been received by the Victoria station, both direct and relayed, and in a very short time there will be a complete, chain of stations operating. The Quadra returned this moraling from Prince Rupert and Triangle Island, after leaving supplies and also dropping Operator Greer, formerly of Point Grey, at the Triangle Island station. The big pole has been rigged and the riggers returned, and in a very short time the station will be in operation. The weather was too rough to allow of the landing of the house, so this will have to go north on the next trip. The Quadra brought word that at Prince Rupert the new station is well under way. Superintendent C. P. Edwards is on the job and is rushing it through as fast as possible. H. C. Kiffeen, the government engineer, is also there and things are moving fast. This is the last of the stations to be built under the present arrangement. When it is completed there should be no part of the British Columbia coast that cannot be reached by wireless, unless it is on the west coast of the Queen Charlottes at points far removed from the Ikeda Head station. Even there

FISHING STEAMER **COLLIDED WITH ROCK**

from the Ikeda Head station. Even there nessages could be picked up at night.

Limped Into Swanson Bay and Was Towed to Seattle

With eight feet of water in her after compartment, the halibut fishing steamer San Juan, of the San Juan Fishing Com-pany, was towed into Seattle Saturday afternoon by the Welding Bros., also a halibut fisher. The leak is the result of a hole torn in her hull low on the starboard side by a submerged rock in Graham Strait, off Sorenson bay, at 4.30 a. m.

At the time of the accident the San Juan was proceeding through Graham channel, under full speed. Capt. Oden says the night was very dark. When the impact came, the fishermen and crew tumbled out of their berths and came to the decks in their underclothes. Survey fevealed the fact that the vessel had broken three of her blades and that she was taking water rapidly. Steam pumps were immediately put into requisition and the vessel limped into Swanson Bay. A line was accepted from the Welding Bros. who brought the vessel south. Capt. Oden says that the Welding Bros., while having a line on the San Juan, simply stood by in case of an emergency, as it might at any time be needed should the San. Juan require all her steam for the pumps.

The Welding Bros, dropped the line proceeded to the fish company's 'dock, propelled by her one remaining blade, while her monitor docked at an uptown

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Wireless,) Cape Lazo, Feb. 14, 8 a.m.—Clear; wind N. W.; bar, 29.76; temp., 26; sea smooth; spoke Quadra at 8 p.m., south-bound near Cape Lazo. Point Grey, Feb. 14, 8 a.m.—Clear;

orthwesterly gale; bar., 29.61; temp. Tatoosh, Feb. 14, 8 a.m.—Light swell; vesterly wind, 12 miles; bar., 29.80; emp., 34; sea moderate; out, Aymeric

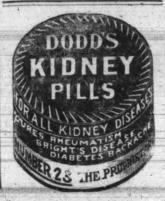
E.; bar., 29.86; temp., 33; sea smooth; Tees at Kyuquot, leaving for Quat-Pachena, Feb. 14, 8 a.m.-Clear; wind

. E.; bar., 29.54; temp., 29; light sw TWO CRUISERS FOR PACIFIC.

STRIKE IS SETTLED United States Navy Department Will Send the Montana and North Carolina from Atlantic,

Seattle, Wash, Feb. 14.—According to word received at the navy yard, the armored cruisers Montana and North Carolina are to come around the Horn and join the armored cruisers separated from the Pacific fleet. The two fine cruisers which were built on the Atlantic coast, have been ordered to Busens Ayres to take part in the Argentina celebration in June. They will meet the cruisers Washington and Tennesses at that port, and following the ceremonies to be held there, will come to this harbor for docking and repairs. It is believed to be the intention of the mavy department to keep the Montana and North Carolina on the Pacific coast station.

10. take her to Vancouver. She has pig iron, pipe, bricks and other neavy material for Evans, Coleman & Evans, She left Scotland September 14th and had a bad weather at the start and heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was when comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was been comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was been comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was been comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was been comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was been comfing up the South Pacific, heavy gales around Cape Horn. It was been comfing up the South





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MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS

(Times Leased Wire.) Seattle-Arrived: Str. Victoria from Valdes: str. Admiral Sampson from San Francisco. Saled: Governor for Sound ports; Ger. stled: Governor for Tacoma; str. Umatilla for San Francisco.

str. Umatilia for San Francisco.
Tacoma:—Arrived: Str. Governor from
Seattle; str. Bertha from Seattle.
Los Angeles—Arrived: Str. Queen from
Seattle; sehr. Robt. R. Hind from Fuget
Sound. Sailed: Str. Norwood for Gray's

San Francisco-Arrived: Str. Daisy from Williams Harbor; str. Quinalt from Wil

Aberdeen-Arrived: Str. Svea from San Francisco; str. Gray's Harbor from San

Hoquiam-Arrived: Str. Daisy Freeman

BOSCOWITZ COMPANY **USE ANOTHER WHARF**

Local Shipping Firm Will Utilize Turner Beeton Landing Place

When steamer St. Denis leaves for the north on Wednesday night she will pull out from the old Turner, Beeton wharf now used by the Gillis Supply Company. This wharf will be used in future by the Boscowitz Company for their staamers. It will be much more convenient than the other, as they will be able to dock without passing through the bridge.

The St. Denis is now tied at Por-ter's wharf and is undergoing her an-nual inspection. She will move later in the day to make room for the schooner Manila, which is coming h to discharge 350 tons of salt from Na-

The St. Denis brought south a num ber of passengers, but a light freight.

DECKHOUSE SMASHED WHEN COMING NORTH

Estevan, Feb. 14, 8 a.m.-Clear; wind Barque Nile Arrived Yesterday With Heavy Cargo for Evans, Coleman & Evans

British barque Nile, with general cargo from Ardroisan, sailed up the straits yesterday to the quarantine station, and is now waiting for a tug to take her to Vancouver. She has pig iron, pipe, bricks and other heavy

John R. Furlong Passes Away in Hotel at Oakland.

Onkland, Cal., Feb. 14.—Veteran of a stage career extending over a guarter of a century, John R. Purlong, 54 years of age, is dead to-day in this city.
Furlong was a member of the "Virginia" company. Shortly after he had gonz to his room in his hotel last night he feit coming upon him the tecurrent heart trouble to which he was subject. Furlong had a presentment that he would sucoumb to the attack and hurrically walked to the hotel lobby where John R. Smiley and Charles R. Gilbert, othermembers of the company, sat.

"I'm dying, boys," he said. "I can't breathe well now, and I wanted to be with you when the end came."
Gilbert rushed to call a doctor, but Furlong was dead before he returned. The

long was dead before he returned. The deceased actor was known in New York, where his children live.



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Honors Won During the Year By Those Selected Under Conditions

A statement in reference to the operation of the Rhodes scholarship scheme during the past year has been prepared by G. R. Parkin, the trustee of the funds. The statement sets forth that the total number of scholars in that the total number of scholars in the statement sets forth that the total number of scholars in the scholars and ex-scholars during the past year has been prepared by G. R. Parkin, the trustee of the scholars and ex-scholars and ex-scholars and ex-scholars during the scholars and ex-scholars and ex-scholars in the scholars in the scho bequest during the academic year 1985

9 was 17B. Of these, 78 were from the colonies of the Empire, 39 were from the United States, and 11 from Germany. At the end of the summer term 33 scholars completed the period of their scholarships, while 31 new scholars came into residence in the Cetaber term. Five scholars have been considered the period of the summer term in its final honor schools as far as scholars term. Five scholars have been considered the period of the summer term for the scholars have been considered the period of the scholarships. their scholarships, while 31 new scholars came into residence in the October term. Five scholars have been given permission to suspend their, scholarships temporarily, while aix excholars remain in residence engaged in teaching, research or special study for examination. The total number of acholars and ex-scholars at the beginning of the new academic year 1909-10-was 178. The schofars are distributed among the colleges as follows:

Balliol, fifteen: Exeter, thirteen: Christ Church, Metton and St. John's, twelve Church, Merton and St. John's, twelve cach. New College, Queen's and Wadham, eleven each; Hertford and Worcester, ten leach; University and Lincoin, nine each; Pembroke, eight; Oriel and Trinity, seven each; Bra-

se, five: Magdalen and Jesus, four

The wide range of study pursued by the scholars is shown by the following list of the numbers for the various versity:

Honor schools for the B. A. degree: Literae Humaniores, 16; Natural Science, 26; Jurisprudence, 33; History, 23; Theology, 10; English Literature, 10; Mathematics, 3; Modern Languages, 3; Engineering, 3; Honor Moderations, classical, 1; mathematical, 1. Advanced or specialized courses: Law (B, C. L. degree), 12; science, (B.

4; medicine (M.B. degree), 5.
Diplomas: In economics, 12; in forestry, 5; in anthropology, 2; in ophthal-

sidence at Oxford under the Rhodes an examination in law; S. N. Ziman

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A Little Diapepsin Will Make You | tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth constipation, pain in limbs, sjeeplessness, belching of gas, billousness, sick headache, nervousness, lizziness or many other similar symp-

erence to any other, because it cleanses the clothes more thoroughly, and at half the ost without injury to hands or fabric. Follow directions.

ALL OVER THE WORLD

at Yale University, U. S. A.; Chester B. Martin (New Brunswick, 1906), pro-fessor of modern history at the Uni-versity of Manitoba, Canada; P. Nixon versity of Manitoba, Canada; P. Nixon (Connecticut, 1964), assistant professor at Bowdoin college, Maine, U. S. A.; J. J. Tigert (Tennessee, 1964); president Kentucky Wesleyan College, Winchester, Kentucky, U. S. A.; J. A. Brown (New Hampshire, 1964); professor at the Syrian Protestant College at Beirut, Syria; S. K. Hornbeck (Colorado, 1964), instructor at Che-Klang rado, 1904), instructor at Che-Kiang Provincial College, Hangchow, Che-Kiang, China; B. E. Schmitt (Tennes-Klang, China; B. E. Schmitt (Tennessee, 1905); assistant professor at the University of Wisconsin, U. S. A.; J. N. Schaeffer (Pennsylvania, 1905), preceptor at Princeton University, New Jersey, U. S. A.; C. H. Foster (Idaho, 1905), instructor, nayal academy, Annapolis, Maryland, U. S. A.; F. P. Day (New Brunswick, 1905), assistant professor at the University of New Brunswick (Landa: P. W. Robertson (New New Landa: P. W. Robertson (New Landa: P. W wick Canada: P. W. Robertson (New wick, Canada; P. W. Robertson (New Zealand, 1995), professor at Rangoon College, Burmah; Harvey Sutton (Vic-toria, 1995), chief medical inspector of schools in Victoria, Australia; A. Mox-on' (Nova Scotia, 1996), assistant pro-fessor at the University of Saskatche-wan, Unaida; A. M. Bothwell (North-west Territories, 1996), lecturer at Man-ticha College Winning, Canada; P. toba, College, Winnipeg, Canada; . Reade (Ontario, 1906), assistant prossor at the university of Toronto, Canada.

in water sports, one (colonial); in box- GIRL COLLAPSES AT England in international Rugby foot-

fall matches, and one Scotland. Of 83 scholars from the United States who have completed their course at Oxford, 82 have returned to their own country, and one has taken work in England. Of 23 Germans, all have returned home except one, who has acepted a teaching post in America. Of 78 colonial students, twelve are still en-

The qualifying examinations (equiva-The qualifying examinations (equivalent to Oxford responsions) for candidates for the scholarships of 1910 were
held on the 19th and 20th of October,
1809. One hundred ann innerty-six candidates presented themselves for examination, of whom 67 passed in all subjects, 34 passed in all subjects, 35 passed in all subjects, 36 passed in all subjects, 37 passed in all subjects, 36 passed in all subjects, 37 passed in the separation of the baptism, outlining the passages
in the Bible where the baptism of God
had come down upon the people and
had made them speak in tongues

"There is only one place where you
can take issue with me on this questhese, however, there are eligible candithese, however, there are eligible candi-dates from past years. The next qual-ifying examination for the scholarships of 1911 will be held about the middle of October. 1919, throughout the United States and in those colonies where qualification is not obtained through the affiliation of the local uni-versities with the University of Oxford. The election of scholars is to be com-pleted by the lat of January, 1911, unless special permission is given by the trustee for an extension of time.

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PENTECOSTAL MEETING

Women Writhe With Fervor-Gift of Tongues Boldly Proclaimed

There is no doubt of the enthusiasm gaged in courses of study preparatory to professions. Of the remaining 66, costal meetings being held at the home of W. H. Wortman, 546 Dundas them, the mark of the ascetic impulse them, the mark of the ascetic impulse street, says the London, Ont., Advertiser teaching in England but look-four are teaching in the E

stooped, with a nervous habit of twitching his shoulders, and drawing his breath in , sharply between his his breath in , sharply between his ceaseless closed teeth. His hands are long and jesus!" sinuous, and he uses them with effect. His eyes are dark, narrow and piercashies a shrick

in the Bibly when a proposed in the people and had come down upon the people and had made them speak in tongues.

"There is only one place where you out into a gush of incomprehensible words. I have been a proposed in the stated, and that is you may hold that it does, because I have never in my exper' nce seen a person who in the leader would burst.

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He went on to speak'strongly of the other persons, mostly women

creaching this doctrine, that if people elieve, the spirit of God will come to them, but I tell you, there are as de-finite and conclusive signs of the bap-tism of God as there were at Pente-

eveloped case of grippe, when some of the brethren united to pray for me, and it was immediately removed."

for upwards of an hour, tramping nervously up and down the room, fixing approval." the people with his eyes, and swaying them with the passion of his declamation. When he had finished speaking all the people knelt in prayer, in which the speaker led them in a tempestuous appeal, while the gathering shouted and groaned in sympathy. Some knelt stiffly in the centre of the floor, their hands classed tightly in front of the floor, have but one ultimate end, have but one ultimate end. their hands clasped tightly in front of

four are teaching in England but looking for colonial appointments in the future; one is for the present engaged in parochial work in England, with a yiew to service ultimately in his own colony; two have returned to colonies other than their own; three have accepted, appointments in India; two business positions in foreign countries; three have decided to follow their professions in England.

The ware people of all ages, but it was mostly the young and the middle capacity. It was a gathering that had evidently come prepared for something, and the strained eagerness with which they followed every move of the speaker, Mr. Durham, showed it appeared how easily they were to be played upon by an impulse.

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tary exhaustion.

Over in the centre of the room was a woman of middle age, who kept ceaselessly reiterating "O Jesus, O Jesus!" as the minutes dragged on, her voice sometimes raising almost to words. and shaking, and her arms beating the

them to wrestle on. Here and there

failure of the chyrches to measure up to their responsibility.

"They claim," said the speaker, "that what is necessary is that people should believe. Preachers like Dr. Torrey go up and down the land preaching this detrine that is neoned. burst out into unknown words, but few paid them any attention.

At one end of the room a little girl scarcely 9 years of age, was kneeling, her poor little wasted body, all torn and twisted and knotted by her jumping nerves. Someone in the back of the room whispered. That little girl in the green dross got the hautign a in the green dress got the baptism a week ago, and you should have heard

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The speaker then went on to nary rate instances where he had spoken in and one that it is ill to reconcile with the teaching of the great lover of children, in whose name it was invoked, the reported thought. In a moment a girl, probably 21, with a synden cryptal and a million dollars. But the gift of tonguées needs the companion gift of tonguées needs the companion gift of tonguées needs the companion gift of the great lover of children, in whose name it was in-worded, the reported thought. In a moment a girl, probably 21, with a synden cryptal a million dollars. But the gift of tonguées needs the companion gift of tonguées needs the companion gift of tonguées needs the companion gift of the great lover of children, in whose name it was in-worded, the reported thought. In a moment a girl, probably 21, with a synden cryptal a million dollars. But the gift of tonguées needs the companion gift of tonguées needs the companion gift of the great lover of children, in whose name it was in-worded, the reported thought. In a moment a girl and sudden cry, fell-forward and lay with eyes closed and face pale as death. Someone placed a pillow under her head, and she lay there motionless, with a bevy of women kneeling around her, and praying in fervid, hysterical words, in other parts of the reconstruction.

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yalentine had nothing whatever to de with St. Valentine's Day. Eut one would rather side with the gentle Charles Lamb than with these dusty delversamong old archives and say with him, "Like unto thee, assuredly, there is no other mifred father in the calendar; not Jerome or Ambrose, nor Cyril; nor Bishop Bull, nor Archbishop Parker, or Whitgift. Thou comest attended with thousands and ten theusands of little Loves, and the air is

Brush'd with the hiss of rustling wings.

"Singing Cupids are thy choristers and thy precenters; and instead of the crosler, the mystical arrow is borne before thee."

borne before thee.

It rather pleases one's fancy to connect the quaint custom with a genial father of the church. It seems to give a proper sanction to this sending anonymously of one's expression of page 2 ns of regard.

That valentines do play a part in ove's programme there is no gainsay-ng. The missive that comes breath-ng mysteriously someone's devotion ing mysteriously someone's devotion' sets a girl's heart to fluttering and her imagination to working. She wonders if it is John's and immediately her heart grows tenderer toward John. The unconsclous John, who is entirely too practical to send a valentine, wonders what has come over her but nevertheless rejoices that she is so kindly disposed toward him. And the love affair prospers.

Girlhood is romantic and anything that feeds this love of romance is welcome. And where is the girl who doesn't love mystery, who doesn't horoughly delight in believing someone admires her in secret but does not dare open to declare his attach. one admires her in sected

The modern maid is practical as vell as romantic and she is apt to preter heart-shaped boxes of bonoons or the valentine of beautiful flowers to the lace-paper missive scattered recklessly with hearts and datts and poetry to match. But she would rather have the latter than none at carries its message of and elusive romance just mystery and emster romance just the same. She can wonder who sent it, she can lay her innocent little traps to find out and it is all a pleas-ant game and part of Cupid's para-

es, one quart milk, one-third cup but one tablespoon of cornstarch, one if peoper. Boll milk, Melt hair the quantity of butter; add the cornstareh, stir till smooth and add to milk. Add the tomatoes, heated and strained, the rest of butter and seasoning.

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S. P. Langley, son of Chief Langley is spending a few days in the city. He is attending the University of Washington in Seattle.

Mrs. R. L. Borden gave a luncheon Mrs. R. L. Borden gave a luncheon of fourteen covers a few days ago in Ottawa, at which the guests included Mrs. David and Miss Marjorie MacKeen, Miss Elleen Dwyer, Halifax; Mrs. and Miss McLean, St. John, N. B.; Mrs. J. F. Kidd, Mrs. J. E. Armstrons, Febrolea; Miss Goodeve, Rossland; Mrs. H. C. Bate, Miss Claudia Bate, Mrs. John Stanfield, Truo, N. S.; Mrs. G. H. Barnard, Victoria, B. C., says the Toronto News. ****

On Tuesday, February 8th, a very en-joyable evening was spent at 729 Yates street, when Miss Bernice Wood cele-brated her fourteenth birthday. Sev-eral of her young Triends were invited and plenty of music and games were the feature of the evening. The fol-lowing were invited; Pearl Matthews, Mama McMillan, Ella Dalziel, Hazel Eagel, Lillian Matthews, Marjorie Eagel, Harold Stevens, Don McIntyre, Fagel, Limin Matthews, Marjore Fagel, Harold Stevens, Don McIntyre Allen Danes, Roy Willie, Troy Hodson, Willie Daker and Frank Stevens.

The marriage took place recently at St. Peter's church, Eaton Square, Lon-don, of Mr. Clive Newcome Trench, third son of the Hon. Cosby Trench, of Sopwell hall, Cloughjordan, and grand-son of the first Lord Ashtown, and Miss Eathlean Mackyon, durantee of the late Kathleen MacIvor, daughter of the late Major Ivor MacIvor and Mrs. Mac-Major Ivor MacIvor and Mrs. MacIvor. The bride was given away by
her uncle. Colonet Darby, and the
Dean of Chester officiated. A reception was afterwards held at the Grosvenor hotel, and later in the afternoon
Mr. and Mrs. Clive Trench left for a
Continental honeymoon tour. Mr. and
Mrs. Clive Trench will take up their Mrs. Clive Trench will take up their residence at Salt Spring Island, in the

NEW GRAND THEATRE.

This afternoon Carlyle Moore, the well-known actor who created such a remarkable impression here two years ago, will open at the New Grand in a new one-act play entitled "Disillusioned," a mimetic comedy that was secured by him for this Western tour, and ranks as one of the most power-ful." while the most amusing that has been over the Sullivan and Considine circuit. Mr. Moore is to be supported by Ethelyn Palmer and company, who will take the part of a rich woman with an infatuation to become a great and wonderful actress. She becomes This afternoon Carlyle Moore, the H. F. Bullen, of the B. C. Marinand wonderful actress. She becomes dislitusioned and the process forms the story of a striking and amusing

tess at a timeheon at the Empress on Thursday of next week.

The engagement is announced of Captain A. D. Macdonald, and Miss Office Bryden, daughter of Mr. J. Bryden, of Victoria, B. C.

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fired from a distance, thus doing away with the possibility of suicide.

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Salt Lake, Feb. 14.-Rio Grande passailt Lake, Feb. 14.—Rio Grande pas-senger train No. 2, eastbound, was de-railed at Woodside, twenty-six miles west of Green River, Utah, late Satur-day night. The Fullman car Ivanhoe were absolutely vested in the company, rolled Jown the embankment into the sleeper were injured.

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Mr. Lawson thought there was more attention to the fact that a company which proposed to spend \$3,900,000 had only \$500 paid up. In its articles of incorporation the company had power to

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 14. The police of this city and Sausalito are today seeking to learn the identity of a man who leaped from the deck of the ferry boat Berkeley into the bay lass ningt. The suicide left an overcoat on the deck in the pocket of which was a flatiron which it is believed he intended to use as a "sinker." It is thought, however, that the man, seeing that the swift tide would carry him to destruction, discarded the iron and leaped overboard.

"Sunday, 9-p.m. To-morrow at 9.30, if you will call up Kearney 4618 they will tell you who owns the coat," reads a note found in one of the pockets of the overcoat. Besides the coat lay a hat and a waiking stick. On the hat band are the initials "J. H. B."

The telephone number referred to in the note is that of J. L. and P. B. Nagle, attorneys here. Neither of the lawyers could recall "J. H. B." and neither could they identify the suicide's effects. The body has not been recovered. the government yearly \$1,000, to say nothing of royalties and dues, and it deserved protection. The application for this legislation was not being made with that degree of cander which the legislature should expect.

Mr. Elliott said the company he represented held its lands in fee simple and would be bettled up without access.

and would be bottled up without access and would be bottled up without access to the sea if this bill was passed. The section validating the water licenses which the company might secure would have the effect of giving ft the fame right in water as fee simple to land. The water would be as much the company water would be as much the company water would be as much the com-The water would be as much the com-pany's absolutely as if they had had it bottled and corked up. This com-pany was seeking by its bill to deal with assets of the crown.

Mr. Robertson, in reply, held that the section validating licenses vested the water licenses and not the water in the

No. 2, eastbound, was de-joodside, twenty-six miles en River, Utah, late Satur-The Pullman car Ivanhoe the embankment into the Seven passengers in the a clause put in to allow their timber to pass down. The land the company asked for was crown land. If the Northern Pacific Lumber Company was affected by this the company would-have to expropriate their rights. There was no question of the bona fides of the company. Its capital was placed at \$50,000 and it would have been very foolish to put it higher and have to pay the greater fees until it was known that the water license would be issued, and its predecessors, being 170 feet in length.

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Was no question of the bona fides of the company. Its capital was placed at \$50,000 and it would have been very foolish to put it higher and have to pay the greater fees until it was known that the water license would be issued, at any time the capital could be increased. Although only \$500 was paid up there was \$5,700 of the syndicate's money in the hands of the chief water commissioner, and the whole of \$25,000 was subscribed and readily collectable. There had been no lacking of candor in the making of the application for this bill, as all the parties interested had a notice of what was intended.

The committee finally decided to throw the bill out.

The bill to incorporate the Northern B. C. Telephone Company was the first taken up this morning and it was

reported. H. B. Robertson appeared in your establishing the fact that the

Bank of Montreal Chambers

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"Now, I'm doing this job," replied the bandit, "You hand over the coin expense, account. The statement has given great satisfaction for the statement has given great satisfaction.

Bellingham, Wash., Feb. 14. - Fire reported. H. B. Robertson appeared in support of the bill.

Several sections were added to the Saveral sections were added to the Prince Rupert of the future city of Prince Rupert were fully safeguarded. Rates are to be subject to control by the Highlands Friday and escaped with the underline strike are to be subject to control by the Heutenant-governor in council, who may also order the company to make connection between its long distance lines and local telephone systems on the Highland's bank, said that the had run over and crushed to that the had run over and crushed to death his 16-months-old daughter. The child had followed its father to the lines and local telephone systems on the Highland's bank, said that

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STEAMSHIP MANAGER SPEAKS OF PROSPECTS

Ten Million Ballot Papers-Almond Culture-Sir George Reid's Wit

Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 31.-Arthur G. Baxter, manager of the Nippon Yusen Calsha department for Messrs, Burns, Philip & Co., has just returned from a over four months, and covering a dis-ance of over 20,000 mfles. Mr. Baxter did not lose the opportunity afforded by his trip to acquire a vast amount of information concerning the commer-cial, political and social conditions of

clat, political and social conditions of the East.

Mr. Baxter was very much impressed with the prospects offered by the East for the marketing of Australian products. "We are only on the fringe of a great commercial intercourse," he sid. It was a significant fact that the said. It was a significant fact that the merchants who had visited the East were those who were now sharing its commerce. The fluctuation of the dollar was a great impediment to business and Mr. Baxter considers that trade will receive a great stimulus when the value of that coin has been uniformly fixed.

In China Mr. Baxter noticed a craving In China Mr. Baxter noticed a craving for English literature, and the demand for translations of standard works appeared to be greater than the supply. Teachers of English were also scarce, and badly wanted. Mr. Baxter, as one result of his trip, flouts the idea of the "yellow peril" as a menace to Australia. The majority of the Chinese had he idea what or where Australia was. In Canton he bought some toys and asked the vendor to pack them seand asked the vendor to pack them securely, as they were to go to Aus-ralia. The man looked bewildered. He had heard of London, but never of Aus

pereals, Mr. Baxter thought that though the present demaild for foreign wheat was great, Japan would be able to obtain all her wants from Manchuria. The great and increasing consumption great and increasing consumption of bread was very noticeable in Japan. "The common workman, on his way home," he said, "likes to call at a shop where bread is sold, and thinks nothing of paying 12 or 13 sen for a slice of bread and butter, which he cats as an appetizer before his evening meal. A great trade is also done in bread and butter by hawkers, who parade the streets with small carts, crying 'Pan.' treets with small carts, crying 'Pan,' The taste for bread was ac-

Whart Laborers. pleasing incident was witnessed, the wharf at which the Omrah was ing. Str George Reid, the high comer, was going on board the yes issioner, was going on board the ves-el to lunch with the captain. On the charf were a large number of wharf abovers—men whose political opinions ave been in conflict with those of the light commissioner for about a quarter f a century. But they bore him no prints on that account and as the ius on that account, and as the genial, burly figure ascended the gangway they sent up a round of hearty cheers, while others called out, "We are sorry you're going." Sir George was much impressed by this touch of

Copies of certain King's regulations copies of certain king's regulations orwarded by the high commissioner or the western Parific, have been releved by the premier, through the rovernor. The object of the regulations is to prevent the introduction of ommunicable disease into the Gilbert and Ellice islands. "Communicable se" is set down to mean any contagious or infectious disease, and inludes cholera, smallpox, scarlet fever cludes choiera, smanpox, scariet lever scarletina; Oriental plague, entaric or typhoid fever, typhus fever, yellow fever, measles, and any disease of such a nature as to make it uncertain whe-ther it is in reality one of these dis-

It is made unlawful for any communiation otherwise than by signal, to be had between a vessel in quarantine, and any island, vessel or place within he group. It is also unlawful for a sessel in quarantine to be brought rithin 100 yards of any other vessel n any harbor, at any place within the roup, until pratique has been granted, s provided for. Every master or suron of a vessel must report cases of ease to the health officer, who sets part a quarantine station, and fixes

Other regulations provide safeguards and schemes for disinfection. The expense of quarantine have to be borned by the vessel. The penalty for omitting to do what the regulations prescribe, or for aiding, abetting rounding the doing of dnything prohibited, is a liability to imprisonment not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding fine, or both.

Protection of Aborigines.

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The state parliament has just passed an act to ensure that better attention is given to the aborigines of New South Wales. In the first place this act provides for a sum of £20,000 to be specially appropriated annually from the consolidated revenue for the assistance of aborigines. It also provides ice of aborigines. It also provides for the constitution of a board for the ders with an aborigine without good cause, entices an aborigine child from apprenticeship or school, or has in his possession any blanket or other article issued by the government to any abor-laine, is held to be guilty of an offence

children; and also for the inspection of stations and reserves on which aborigines are located. In short, the measure extends a more effective sheltering arm than heretofore over this sadily diminishing race, and aims at the abolition of the conditions which make the camps and reservations of the "black remnant" anything but desirable places for growing children. Power is also vested in the governor to make the necessary regulations for carrying into effect the purposes of the act.

Deepest Bore in Australia.

As aiready reported, the South Australian public works department during the past year carried out some important work in connection with deep boring for artesian water. The official review of the year's work states that none of these borings had been completed, but at Patchawarra, in the northeast corner of the state, there is a boring which is down 454 feet with. completed, but at Patchawarra, in the northeast corner of the state, there is a boring which is down 4,840 feet without striking artesian water. The prospects are, however, considered favorable, and the bore is to be taken down to 5,000 feet, with a practically certain prospect of a great flow. This will be the deepest bore in Australia. the deepest bore in Australia.

Good Returns From Almonds.

In Riverina almond culture is receiving a little attention. As to the returns ing a little attention. As to the returns possible from this crop in suitable localities an Adelaide paper remarks: To make money easily, there seems to be few operations on small estates to beat almond growing. Within five miles of Adelaide one gentleman this season has netted a profit of 400 from thirteen and one-half acres of almond trees, a fact that speaks for itself. Once the trees have grown sufficiently to produce a crop, and are properly looked after, the industry may be carried on at a trifling expense, very little labor beafter, the industry may be carried on at a trifling expense, very little labor being required. In some instances the grower is even relieved of the necessity of gathering and shelling the aimonds, but sells the crop as it stands and the buyers do the rest of the work. At present almonds are worth from 10d to 1s per 1b., so that there is plenty of money to be realized by those who have money to be realized by those who have large areas under cultivation.

WOMAN ATTACKED

BY INSANE MAN

Is Slashed by Maniac Who Enters House During Husband's Absence

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 14.-Awakening at 4 o'clock in the morning to find an at 4 o clock in the morning to find an insane man feering at her, Mrs. Harry Panting, living at 4008 Letitla avenue, attempted to rise from her bed only to be set upon by the maniac, who stabbed, her several times in different parts of the body, inflicting serious wounds, for which she is being treated at the city hospital. Following the assault the unknown assaults to several. Pan." The taste for hread was acquired by the Japanese soldiers on their valit, the unknown assailant escaped, way to Harbin, and on their return to Japan they introduced it as a hixuribus article of diet. As a result of this sudden demand for bread, the Russians at Harbin have started cultivating wheat on an extensive scale, and manufacture bread for the troops."

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> Mrs. Panting recled across the room o her bed and there fell in a faint. When her husband, who is a baker, reurned to his home he found his wife reving in hysterical frenzy. As soon as she had been quieted sufficiently to tell her story the police were notified and the injured woman taken to the hospital. Her wounds are not fatal,

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\$8,500. dothosin, 50 acres, 15 cleared, and good house, \$4,000. acres, absolutely cleared and fenced, large house, "ideal" farm, \$7,500. be acres, all in pasture, five new house, hern and stables \$6.000. acres, anadoutely figures, \$7,590.
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TAXATION OF CHURCHES.

Vancouver Court of Revision Considering Application for Exemption.

Vancouver, Feb. 12.-At the session of the council, sitting as a court of revision on the assessment roll, a divided mind was shown with reference to the application of the churches of the ity for exemption from taxation.

Ald. McKechnie said he had opsed the principle of exemption and as a church member had been instrumental in leading a protest against the policy several years ago. was, however, something in Mr. Woodworth's alternate proposal suggesting that a reduced valuation be placed on church property in the business dis-

Jones, for the solicitor's office, Mr. Jones, for the solicitor's office, stated that the present charter powers would not allow the council to grant a long exemption to churches. He also doubted whether an arrangement could legally be made reducing the value of church lands below that of the surrounding property.

Ald. Stevens was strongly observed.

the surrounding property.

Ald. Stevens was strongly opposed to the principle of exempting churches. He believed that the council should do nothing which might in any way be regarded as a union of church and state. The precedent would be bad as fraternal secieties, which worked along phitanthropic lines, would probably claim the same concession.

churches. As the powers of the coun-cil seemed limited to taking off the assessment for buildings, this action would represent only what he believed should be done for all property owners. The net tax from improve-ments in the city this year would only

should be owners. The net tax from improvements in the city this year would only amount to two mills, and this might well be placed on the land.

Mayor Taylor stated that he was also in favor of abolishing the tax on im-McBride thought that the

Ald. McBride thought that the churches should payla fax for fire protection, but nothing further.

The question of exemption of church property was then left over for a special meeting of the court on Tuesday morning. At this meeting will also be considered the exemption of lands connected with charitable institutions.



GENERAL HOSPITAL FOR PRINCETON

Board of Trade Take Action **Toward Construction of** Building

Princeton, Feb. 12.—At the annual neeting of the board of trade the folmeeting of the board of trade the fol-lowing officers were elected unanimous-ly for the year 1910: President, J. W. Wright; J. D. Lumsden, vice-president; secretary-treasurer, H. H. Avery; ex-ecutive committee, Messrs. Wardle, Thomas, Campbell, Brown, Waterman, Marlow, Murdoch, Graham and Bell, the officers being members ex-officio.

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The committee appointed at a former meeting to take initial steps toward th meeting to take initial steps toward the establishment of a general hospital in Princeton reported that the Vermillion Forks Company had generously donated six lots, valued at \$1,500, in a very appropriate location, as a beginning for this very necessary institution; that the committee had received through a member a communication from L. W. Shatford, M.P.P., urging immediate action, that a sum might be placed in the government estimates in assistance; overnment estimates in assistance that the committee had replied that his ling Mr. Shatford with information for his guidance. In the discussion which followed receipt of this report the com-mittee received authority from the board to convene a public meeting as soon as possible of the residents of Princeton and district for the purpose Princeton and district for the purp of appointing a board of trustees ccordance with the terms of the Hos construction of a hospital

were instructed to draft a resolution re making Princeton a customs port of entry or sub port, and recommending the proper housing of all Dominior government offices here in a public-owned building suitable for the accom-modation and convenience of the public. said resolution to be forwarded to Martin Burrell, M. P., and to Senator

TO INVESTIGATE HIGH COST OF LIVING

Committee Appointed by Presbytery of Kootenay to Make Inquiries

et at St. Paul's Presbyterian church, elected Rev. C. O. Main moderator for the ensuing twelve menths.

The report of Rev. S. Lundie, the lerk on self-sustaining congregations, showed substantial progress in various directions. The evangelistic campaign had led to a large increase in the number of those making profession of faith, and the contributions for missioners. of faith, and the contributions for mis-sionary purposes were largely increas-ed. Considerable reductions of debt were being effected and a spirit of lib-erality seemed to pervade the congre-gations, although there was still much to be desired in the application of busito be desired in the application of business methods by managers of churches. Rev., J. A. Dow reported regarding church life and work that conditions of life in Kootenay-seriously affected church attendance. Sunday work at smelters and mines having an injurious effect, But very generally efforts were made to interest the rising

ably claim the same concession.

Ald Ramsay was in favor of the council doing its utimost to aid the churches. As the powers of the council matter than the council doing its utimost to aid the matter than the council doing its utimost to aid the matter than the council doing its utimost to aid the matter than the council of the counci Rev. J. L. Ferguson as convener of augmentation and home missions committees, reported that St. Andrew's, Kaslo, was about to become self-ustaining, and that New Denver was asking for a reduced grant. The presbytery expressed their satisfaction, and suggested that Knox church, Trail, should follow their example as early as possible. St. Columba's, Greenwood, was placed on the augmented list, and a commission was appointed to visit. Phoenix, and if necessary also Greenwood, to make finguisty into conditions at these points where peculiar difficulties. at these points where peculiar diffi-culties were encountered.

A commuittee was appointed to pre-

pare a report on the high cost of living in Kootenay.

VANCOUVER HOSPITAL. Treasuren Says Council Should Give Board a One-Mill Levy on .

ALL POLES OFF STREETS

Vancouver Feb. 12—If the city will sign an agreement to not allow any other company to place poles on Granville Street, Westminster Avenue and Hastinss Street, the B. C. Electric Railway Company has promised to remove all its poles there which for company sears past have been an eyes are along the main streets of the city. In enclosing a letter from R. H. Sperling, giving the above intimation the city Electrican informed the Fire and Police Committee that it would be eminently desirable if some such arrangement could be arrived at. The company also promised to take all its poles of all residential streets which for company also promised to take all its poles of all residential streets where the property owners would consent to allow the troiley support wires to be fastened to their buildings. The Committee instructed the City Solicitor to prepare an agreement all some the company, for submission at the next meeting.

EXPLORING LOWER LEVELS OF LE ROI

Recently Located Ore Shoots Are Promising Well-Shipments From Mine

Rossland, Feb. 12.—Some time of the shoots were located by means of diamond drills on the sixth and twelfth diamond drills on the sixth and twelfth levels of the Le Roi. These shoots have now been reached by crosscuts and are looking well, although sufficient work to demonstrate their value and extent has not yet been done. As far, however, as the work has been carried, they are promising. The diamond drills which are being used to explore the lower levels of the Le Roi, are finding some fairly-sized shoots of pay ore.

The Centre Star group sent 3,600 tons of ore to the smelter last week, which is about the normal output. The management reports that the group which is about the normal output. The management reports that the group is doing very well and that a good profit is being made each month. The War Eagle, Iron Mask, Centre Star and Idaho are Jooking and yielding in

satisfactory manner... The lead that has been found on the Mayflower by the new lessees is a pro-mising and high-grade one and it is anticipated that it will yield a good-

RUSSIAN ATTACKS BROTHER WITH AXE

Assailant Committed to Jail Pending Outcome-Fernie's Municipal Tangle

Fernie, Feb. 12.-A serious fracas o urred in the Russian settlement on the ill near the coke ovens, in which a nan named Mike Kosek was so badly njured that he now lies in the hospital. It appears that the wounded man's brother, Martin Kosek, was abusing an brother, Martin Kosek, was governed and elderly man in one of the shacks and when his brother urged him to desist he attacked him with a double-edged axe, inflicting terrible injuries. Martin Kosek was arraigned before Stipendiary Magistrate J. S. T. Alexander, and

diary Magistrate J. S. T. Alexander, and was committed to jail to await the result of the wounds he had infinited on his brother.

At the regular meeting of the Fernie board of trade communications were read from several correspondents who were anxious to establish industries in the town or district, showing that the advertising campaign which has been carried on by the board during the past year is having the desired result, and ar is having the desired result, and year is having the desired result, and all the required information was ordered to be forwarded. The question of the present entainglement in civic affairs owing to no election having yet taken place for mayor and aldermen was also taken up, and it was decided that the present mayor should be requested to take the matter up with the present and lay the matter before

overnment and lay the matter The necessity for increased scho The necessity for more apparent every day. At the present time there are over ninety pupils from Fernie annex attending the school which is located in the centre of the town. As this involves a long walk and the children are very young, the residents of that section are agitating for a school building of their own, and it is confidently expected they will be able to secure one in the near future.

DEATH DUE TO ACCIDENT.

he attached to the employees. The electrician, who was in charge of the work, stated that as soon as he saw the flash he called to all thomen to remain where they were. The majority lest their heads, however, and started for the door. Those standing on the ground at the time of the flash returned to the charge but this was not sufficiently better the contract of t majority lost their heads, however, and starred for the door. Thisse standing on the ground at the time of the flash received it shock, but this was not sufficient to injure them. The men on the upper platforms or those standing on the program of the ground would not receive any shock. Weaver, was on the ground at the time and rushed, to the door. His body was found half in the deforway and he was gasping slightly when assistance arrived, but died almost immediately. James Smith, one of, Weaver's fellow workinen, had rushed out of the door before the dead man and had also received a severe shock, which rendered him unconscious, but he was later revived. This fact led the witness to believe that Weaver's heart was weak and that this condition led to his death. The testimony showed that the accident was due to the bursting of an insulator. This was said to be unusual, but was flable to happen at any time. The company was said to keep a paired over the line constantly in order that the equipment might be kept in proper shape, but it was impossible to find a slight defect in an insulator.

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2. To grade, rock surface and drain Manchester road from Burnside road to Gorge road, and to construct permanent sidewalks, of concrete, on both sides thereof, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance);

3. To construct a permanent sidewalk, of concrete, on the south sides of McClure street, and to construct curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) on both sides of said street between Vancouver street and Cook street, and to construct curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) on both sides of said street between Vancouver street and Clut, said works shall be carried of the in accordance with the provisions By Law" and amendments increase having reported to the council, Asseeperdance with the rovisions of

NOTICE. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SAMUEL HENRY STEPHENS. LATE OF VICTORIA. BRITISH COLUMBIA, DECEASED.

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All persons having claims against the estate of Samuel Henry Stephens, late of Victoria British Columbia, deceased, are requested to send particulars; duly verified to H. G. Hall, 59 Bastion Square, Victoria, B. C., on the which did day of March, Blo. on after which did did to the state of which the executors will be parties on the case and the state of which the case of the state of which the case of the state of which the case of the state of which the case of the state of the state

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ARTHUR CHARLES POPHAM, LATE OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, DECEASED.

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All persons indebted to the estate of Arthur Charles Popham. late of the City of Victoria, British Columbia. deceased, are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith. to Prederick James Popham, Mary street, Victoria, B. E., and all persons having claims against the said estate are required to the said fracticulars, duly verified, to the said fracticulars, duly verified, to the said fracticulars will be distributed amongste the parties entitled thereto, taving regard to the claims only of which the executor have then notice.

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Thursday, Feburary 24

AT 11 O'CLOCK

A quantity of Live Stock, Horses, Sheep, Pigs, Poultry, Hay, Grain, Roots, Machinery, etc., including: 1 Registered Clydesdale Mare, 5 years old, in foal, crippled but able to plough; 1 Clydesdale Filly Foal, 6 months old; Stysish Driving Horse, 15 hands 2 inches, rising 4 years, by Athel (thoroughbred), dam a mare by Lockhart, son cf Nutwood, breeding guaranteed; Pure Bred Jersey Bull, 2 years old; 10 Jersey Cows, springing now or to calve very soon; 7 Yearling Jersey Helfers; 2 Heifer Calves; large Yorkshire Brood Sows, heavy in pig; 25 Young Pigs from 30 to 58 pounds weight; 65 Southdown, Oxford and Hampshire Ewes, with lamb at foot or in lamb, to impested Hampshire Ranis; 5 Tons Timothy and Cover Hay, baled; 1 Tons Out and Pea Straw, baled; 12 Tons Pure Manchurian Barley; 10 Tons Pure Manchurian Barley; 10 Tons Pure Gartner. other officer appointed for that purpose by the said corporation, as to location of all poles, tracks, and other carbon for the stand component of the company. The control of the company of the said company. It is under this that the company carbon for the company of the comp "Up-to-date" Potatoes; 6 Tens Sutton's ween clause 25 and section 16. Noth-relatives and potatoes sacked; 5 Tons Mangels and Turnips; a number of Laying Hens, Ducks, Turkeys and Rabbits; 1 Dandle Dinnout Terrier; 6-Hole Nugget Range (nearly new); New Massey Harris Mower; New Massey Harris Hay Rake. 24 teeth, Poles and Shafts; Cart, Sulkey (Cart, etc.) Cart, etc.

TERMS-Sums of \$19 and under TERMS-Sums of \$19 and under, cash, Over that amount eight months approved notes will be taken, drawing \$ per cent. Five p#r cent, discount for cash, Lunch will be served on the grounds. Take the 7:45 a, m. train to Sydney.

For further particulars apply to Stewart Williams, the Auctioneer

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Instructed, we will move to salesroom, 1314 Broad street, and will sell on

Friday, 18th, 2 P.M.

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Furniture and Effects

SMALL ENGLISH PJANO AND STEEL RANGE: PURE BEED RLACK MINORCAS AND BROWN LEGHORN CHICKENS, FOUR INCUBATORS, Etc.

Full particulars later.

MAYNARD & SON. Auctioneers

NOTICE is hereby given that, 30 days fiter date, I intend to apply to the Board Licensing Commissioners for a transfer of the license held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors on the premises or the lucense need by the to sell spirithous agd fermented liquors on the premises known as the Fountain Saloon, situated on the corner of Government and John streets, to George Brett, of Victoria.

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WIDE POWERS

OF TRAMWAY CO.

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It appeared on the argument before us that besides this franchise in the city of Victoria, the company had acquired franchises outside of Victoria referred to in an act of the legislature, passed in 1899.

It was contended on behalf of the city that clause 25 of the agreement,

city that clause 25 of the agreement schedule A of the Act of 1884, prohibited the use of the defendant's cars for the the use of the defendant's cars for the carriage of freight, and that in so far as section 16 of the Act of 1894 professes to confer the right to carry freight, the rights therein contained ought to be held to apply only to that portion of the company's undertakings outside of the city of Victoria. Hence it was arra gued that the defendant had no right to build a spur or siding for freight purposes.

I cannot accede to this contention. The language of section 16 seems to me to be very clearly applicable to the company's undertaking within the city, and that being so, it is unnecessary for me to consider the statute of 1890, or anything with regard to the company's outside undertakings. utside undertakings.

outside undertakings.
By clause 25 of the agreement it is
provided as follows:
"Cars to be used exclusively for the
carriage of passengers."
That is to say, as I understand it, the

company was confined in its operations passenger traffic and was not en-

ide of the city, is a sound one

Stewart Williams & Co. Duly instructed by the executors of the

1515 Quadra Street. NEXT TO THE CORNER OF PAN

DORA TO-MORROW

AT 2 O'CLOCK,

THE WHOLE OF THE

Household Furniture and Effects

Contained therein, including: DRAWING ROOM - Piano by Erhardt, very handsome British Plate Mirror in carved walnut frame, of ft. x 2 ft. 6 in.; 4 Walnut Up-9 ft. x 3 ft. 6 in.; 4 Wainut Op-holstered Chairs, Wicker Chairs, Ma-hogany Pedestal Table, Mahogany What-Nots very handsome Cozy ners, Gipsy Table, Draperies, Curtains,

Carpet.
DINING ROOM—Extension Table, DINING ROUM-Extension Table, Oak Dining Chairs, Walnut Bookcase, Oak Octagon Tables, Carpet Rugs, Arm Chairs, Clock, Mirror, Drop-head Singer Machine, Curtains, Cuttery, Electric-plated Ware, Crockery, Glass-

KITCHEN-Albion Range (in good rder), Gas Range (nearly new), Cooking Utensils, Kitchen Table, Chairs,

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HALL-Walnut Hall Rack, Rugs,
Stair Carpets, etc.

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Walnut Bedroom Suites, with Horse walnut Bedroom Guites, with The Mattresses, and Horse-hair Fop Mattresses, Chest of Drawers, Mirrors, Curtains, Wardrobes, Elm Bedroom Suite, Mahogany Washstand, Walnut Settee, Walnut Rockers, Tollet Ware, Sofas, Iron Bed, Mattresses, Spring Mattresses, Heater, Meat Safe, Lawn Mower, Hose, and other goods

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CHIFFONIERE, has 4 bow-front drawers and 2 smaller drawers, and has a large oval plate mirror of best quality Priced at DRESSING TABLE, has 2 drawers, and an oval-bevel plate

DRESSER has a massive bevel plate mirror-oval shape. Priced at......\$35.00

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we find that clause 25 was in existence, and acted upon between the parties, that "where a passage in a schedealing with the matter the Legisla-ture would not alter the terms of the agreement itself by striking out clause 25 or any other clause as to which it was intended that a change should be made. It would confirm the agreement as a whole, and modify it by subse-tute was passed entitles me to analy

of the case as discolsed in the statute, Statutes, at page 236, the gule is laid down supported by several authoribefore the act of 1894 was passed. In dule appended to a statute is repug-

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